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## DECIDES TO COME TO VICTORIA

**E. A. JAMES WILL PURCHASE HOME HERE**

**Fred Jones, of Calgary, Will Also Take Up Residence in This City.**

(Special to the Times.)  
Winnipeg, May 20.—Retiring Manager E. A. James, of the Canadian Northern railway, intends to locate in Victoria, where he will purchase a home. Mr. James has been in all parts of America in the past few years, but states that Victoria is his choice for a residence. Mr. James has made a large amount in investments recently, and is considered financially well-fixed. He states he will go to the coast in June.

**BREAD ADVANCED.**  
(Special to the Times.)  
Winnipeg, May 20.—Bread prices were raised on Saturday in sympathy with the advance in flour.

## COMES FROM RIVERS INLET

**QUEEN CITY PLIES ON NEW ROUTE**

**Victoria Merchants Seize Opportunities of Commerce—Logging Activity on East Coast.**

Coming from her first trip on the Victoria-Rivers Inlet route, the steamer Queen City, Captain Gunn, arrived in port early this morning. When outward and inward-bound she passed through smooth waters and with the exception of some rain, the conditions were most favorable.

According to P. Fleming, traffic agent for the C. P. R. coast steamship service, the placing of the Queen City on this route will open up a new circuit of trade to the Victoria merchants. Mr. Fleming went up the coast last week on the Queen City and was greatly impressed with the signs of activity, especially among the logging camps.

"There are," he says, "a thousand more loggers engaged than during this time last year. In many of the camps there are upwards of 500 men employed, and at Rock Bay about 700. At many points logging railways have been built to the coast for the purpose of shipment."

Hitherto the Vancouver merchants have monopolized the trade on this route. The Union Steamship Company has run a bi-monthly service between the Terminal City and Rivers Inlet. The advent of the Queen City and the news which spread throughout the logging camps and the canneries that for the future there would be a weekly service and that the inhabitants would thus receive their mail more regularly, has been received with much enthusiasm. Some sixty loggers were brought from the various camps and landed at Vancouver.

Already the Victoria merchants are commencing to take advantage of the new trade route opened to them. On the initial voyage of the vessel representatives of Wilson Bros. and the Phoenix Brewery travelled up the coast and looked extensive orders. It is taken north on the voyage of the Queen City to-morrow night. Other firms are also making inquiries about the prospects and will send their agents up the coast and the inauguration of the new route will mean a large increase in the trade of the city. This is the first time that there has been a direct steamer service from Victoria to Rivers Inlet.

At the canneries along the coast great activity prevails in view of the coming season. The men are now engaged in the making of cans to hold the salmon. Every vessel which calls carries shipments of the new plate and takes workmen to the different points. The canning companies have expressed great satisfaction at the inauguration of the service with Victoria, as they will be able to send their goods south oftener and with greater despatch.

When the Queen City leaves for Rivers Inlet to-morrow night she will carry a large cargo from this port, and the success of the enterprise which the C. P. R. has shown in entering up this route from Victoria is already assured.

## ENTERTAINING THE CONFERENCE

**DELEGATES GUESTS OF CITY OF VERNON**

**Next Gathering at Vancouver—Rev. A. E. Roberts May Go to Grand Forks.**

(Special to the Times.)  
Vernon, May 19.—It was decided this morning to hold the next annual session of the Methodist conference in Mount Pleasant church, Vancouver. This edifice, which is just being built, resembles in size and architecture the Metropolitan church, Victoria, and is considered the most handsome church in the province.

The election yesterday showed a keen contest for presidency, Rev. A. M. Sanford, of Vancouver, winning by a small majority over his nearest rival, Rev. John Robson, of Nanaimo. The secretaryship went again to Rev. A. E. Roberts, of Victoria, whose splendid ability for such work was heartily recognized.

A most complimentary resolution was passed to Rev. E. J. Thompson for his service as president of the conference during the past year. This afternoon the civic authorities are taking the entire conference on a drive to Coldstream Valley and elsewhere. Probably two hundred people will participate in the pleasure.

Yesterday had new unique features. In the afternoon Rev. John Calvert, of New South Wales, presented fraternal greetings from Australian Methodists, and delivered a most eloquent address. Mr. Calvert's father, who resides at Salmon Arm, and has been a lay preacher for over 50 years, was called to the platform, also, and gave a remarkable address. Rev. J. S. Calvert, brother of the visitor, was also called to the platform and made a speech. The interest of the unique occasion was intense.

Last night's meeting, which began with the reception of fraternal greetings from the Presbyterian synod, presented by the moderator, Dr. Campbell, and Rev. Mr. McDonald, of Victoria, was later given over to the citizens of Vernon and presided over by Alderman Timmins. Addresses of welcome were given by Mayor Megaw, of Vernon, Mayor Bell, of Enderby, Ald. Daykin, of Armstrong, Ald. Brown, of Sumas, and Rev. Mr. Laing, of the Church of England, expressed greeting to that body.

According to the first draft of stations, Rev. A. E. Roberts may be transferred to Grand Forks.

## BOMB FOUND IN 'FRISCO STREET CAR

**Fuse Had Been Lighted But Spark Died Out Before it Reached Powder.**

San Francisco, May 19.—A satchel containing a bomb was found in a Sutter street car at the barn at Oak and Broadway streets. The fuse had been lighted, but the spark died out before reaching the powder. The police are working on the case. The United Railroads believe that the infernal machine was left in the car by a strike sympathizer.

A sympathetic strike of about fifty linemen, electricians and station men of the United Railroads, occurred today. Their places were filled with non-union men, and there was no interruption of service.

The United Railroads announces that next week they would operate their cross-town lines and begin to restore their night schedules.

## CROWDS VISIT GORGE

**The Present Season Promises to Be a Good One—New Cars Have Arrived.**

The summer tram car service to the Gorge Park was commenced yesterday and large crowds took advantage of the increased facilities for reaching the popular resort offered by the frequent departures from Government street. On week days hereafter cars will leave the terminus, opposite the new Grand theatre, every half-hour, while on Sundays the regular holiday service of six cars an hour will be maintained. As this summer promises to be a record one in the way of tourist traffic it may be found necessary to still further augment the service on Sundays and holidays. Should this be the case extra cars will run. Two cars have already been secured from Vancouver in anticipation of the general increase of traffic in the city, which comes with the summer months, and another is on the way.

For the entertainment of visitors to the park this summer similar arrangements to those of last year have been made, and the band concerts and blooper entertainments at night will be continued. The Japanese tea gardens, now in the course of construction in a cleared space among the woods at the park, will be opened to the public on June 1st, although the many embellishments planned for them will not be completed for some time. The first event of importance to take place at the park will be the carnival of music on May 25th, which gives every promise of being a most attractive fete.

**BODY FOUND IN BUSH.**  
Milton, May 19.—In Archie McDougall's bush, about three miles from Milton, the body of John Elliott McGowan was found. It is supposed the body has been lying there over a month. McGowan had not been seen since about April 10th.

## MOTLEY PARADE IN CHICAGO

**BIG DEMONSTRATION BY FOREIGNERS**

**Moyer Mentioned as Candidate at the Next Presidential Election.**

(Special to the Times.)  
Chicago, May 20.—Nearly 40,000 Russian Jews, Poles, Servians, Lithuanians, Germans, Austrians, Italians and other foreigners, but few Americans, participated in the Moyer-Haywood-Pettibone parade yesterday, flaunting red flags, singing revolutionary songs and carrying banners with vicious mottoes.

A one speaker mentioned Moyer as a candidate for the presidency next year. Lucy Parsons, widow of the anarchist Parsons who was hanged for participation in the Haymarket riots, was one of the paraders.

**PLOT TO BLOW UP JAIL.**  
Confession By a Prisoner—Discovery of Nitro Glycerine.

Chicago, May 19.—A plot of prisoners confined in the county jail to blow a hole in the wall and escape was frustrated by Jailor Whitman. The leader was Charles Hansen, under sentence for life for the murder of Luke Fitzpatrick, a policeman.

Several notes relating guardedly to the scheme have been intercepted, and yesterday Hansen was brought into court and ordered sent immediately to the penitentiary at Joliet. Finding he could not return to his cell, Hansen said to the guard: "Well, you'd better look in there and be mighty careful. There's a can of nitro glycerine in there."

The nitro glycerine was found concealed in a fruit can, a number of which had been delivered to Hansen. The plot, according to a confession by Hansen later, contemplated blowing out the wall of the old part of the jail.



Which will give a concert in Institute Hall on Tuesday evening. The Club will be assisted by several well-known soloists.

## INITIAL SERMON BY NEW PASTOR

**REV. C. BURNETT MADE GOOD IMPRESSION**

**Admonished His Congregation Upon the Responsibilities Connected With Christian Work.**

Rev. Christopher Burnett yesterday in the K. of P. hall preached his first sermon to the members of the Central Baptist church. The hall was comfortably filled by a congregation that accorded the speaker the most marked attention.

Rev. Mr. Burnett left a very favorable impression and gave promise of becoming one of the most popular preachers in Victoria. The text was from 1 Cor. 3rd chapter and 6th verse. "I have planted; Apollos watered; but God gave the increase." In his introduction the reverend gentleman alluded to the fact that the gifts of a pastor and an evangelist are not often found in equal measure in the same personality. Paul was in this respect, however, a marked exception. The churches which he planted were ever after the objects of his tender solicitude and Christian sympathy, until the day that he laid his head on the block in Rome. The letter to the church was mentioned as proving this statement. Here Paul related them as fellow-sailors, and commended them for their graces before passing on to condemn them for their divisions wherein they said, one I am of Paul; another, of Apollos; and another of Christ. He then proceeds to exhort them to unity, warning them not to divide against themselves.

From his text he then proceeded to draw lessons for his hearers. First of all came the responsibility of Christians and pastors. In this case Paul's responsibility was divided with that of going to Rome, was not actuated by a desire to impart to them a further knowledge of the things of the Gospel. He was as he himself phrased it, debtor both to the Greeks and the Barbarians and came to Rome to pay his spiritual debts. In the words of Dr. M. B. Babcock at the great Ecumenical conference in New York a few years ago: "Opportunity constituted obligation, and Paul had but to see the opportunity to feel and respond to the obligation." Paul has as every Christian must, surrendered wholly to God and yet he slackened not in the endeavor to spread the gospel. Nor should the hand of any Christian to-day. In the words of Geo. Elliott, "If my hand slack, I rob God."

But there was also diversity of gifts. Here again he drew upon the Scripture for his illustration. Paul was, said he, of the school of the rabbis; Apollos of the philosophers of Alexandria. Yet both were actuated by the impulses springing from new birth, by new motives, and yet they were engaged in the same work. The same spirit filled both as it had on the day of Pentecost, when the one hundred and twenty were baptized with the Holy Ghost.

"Dr. Pearson," said he, "says that the spirit descended on all saints on the day of Pentecost to teach all that all classes of sinners can only be reached by all classes of believers." But as the midst of diversity there was unity of service. They worked to attain the same end. And in this connection it was interesting to note that the planter who gave the increase. It was God who gave the increase. This was illustrated by the way in which different members of the family might work in the garden at different parts of the day. The result was the thing looked forward to. So then, there was the continuity of Christian service. First the sowing, then the watering and lastly the increase.

The human family was the only one which could, or did take advantage of the work of its predecessors. The brutes were but as they had been in centuries past. The ants build but as ants had done in ages gone. The beaver built his dam just as beavers had always done. Progress was not

known among the brute creation. But men had the God-given faculty of improving on the achievements of those who had gone before and who betide those who did not recognize the value of their predecessors' work. In the words of Macaulay, "If a generation recognized not the work of its predecessors it left little of worth to its successors." The progress of to-day was made possible by the investigations of the past. This was true of our jurisprudence which was rooted in the earliest development of the nation; of modern art, whose best was the happy combination of the best of preceding systems; of electrical developments, of science and discovery in all of which present achievements rested on past toil.

"We," said the preacher, "ought to be better men than our forefathers were." And we hoped we would be. Personally, he was proud to belong to a denomination which had done so much for individual liberty and whose principles were peculiarly founded on the word of God.

He came now to the Divine aspect of his subject. It was the connection with God that sanctified the most menial duties of Christian service and made them worthy of the time and talent to any man. God gave the increase. Some served from loyalty and some from love. But with all the reward was of God.

Here he again referred to Paul's experience at Corinth and with the Corinthians. He had stayed with them in the first instance eighteen months. Later he had recalled to their minds the doctrine which he had taught them: death, resurrection and ascension into heaven. His intercessory work in glory and His second coming.

The speaker hoped likewise to teach these truths, or as Dr. A. J. Gordon called them, the three A's: the atonement, advocacy and the advent.

There was a further point that the laborer's reward was according to the amount of energy, activity and surrender to Christ which the laborer gave. In this connection he wished to warn his hearers against the danger of counting that activity which springs from and which was so characteristic of much of the so-called Christian work of the day. Nothing would bear fruit save that which was energized of God.

He closed with that plea from Mrs. Havergill's poem that God would use him and his people anywhere and always till His blessed face was seen.

## ALASKAN BOUNDARY

**Survey Parties Are Taking the Field For Coming Season.**

Work on the Alaskan boundary survey will begin shortly, and already the Dominion government parties are taking the field for the season. A. P. Ratz was expected to leave Vancouver last night for the North. Mr. Ratz is taking up a party of 15, most of whom he engaged in Vancouver. The Princess May will make a special call at Juneau to land the party, which will go up the Taku river in boats and canoes.

Speaking to a reporter in Vancouver, Mr. Ratz said that the boundary line would be established along the line of the Taku and Whiting rivers. He will be accompanied by Mr. Gordon representing the American survey, and the party expects to be back in five months' time.

The boundary is delineated with what are known as Brown's monuments, conical in shape, and about three feet high. Mr. Ratz thinks the survey will be completed in about two years. He added that Alaska in summer was very wet and surveying conditions were rather difficult.

## VOLUNTEERS ARMING

**Allowed to Withdraw Rifles and Ammunition From the Armories at Lahore.**

Lahore, May 19.—In consequence of the recent unrest permission has been given to volunteers to withdraw their rifles and twenty rounds of ball ammunition individually from the armories.

The situation here in this fiftieth year since the great mutiny is without parallel during the intervening period. The date is significant, and the gravity of the moment is increased by the fact that the unrest has originated among educated Hindus who have come under the influence of western ideas, and are willing to sacrifice caste feeling to any extent short of violating the prejudices of the masses, in order to attain the object at which they are aiming.

**SHOOT AT LANGFORD.**  
Otto Weller Wins First Round of Shoot For Trophy Offered By Him.

A score of local Nimrods assembled on Langford Plains yesterday to shoot the first round in a handicap for a handsome silver cup offered by Otto Weller. The conditions of the competition are that the winner of each round will be handicapped six yards for each successive round, and that the cup must be won three times by the same competitor before it becomes his property.

Much amusement was caused yesterday by the fact that Mr. Weller himself was the winner, but should he obtain the cup he promises to put it up again for competition. Mr. Weller is tied with Fred White in the shoot for the Dupont trophy, which is offered by the powder company of that name to the first man to win six rounds of the handicap. Two rounds have been contested, and next is set for June 9th.

## NEARLY A MILLION EXTRA FOR FUEL

(Special to the Times.)  
Winnipeg, May 20.—It cost Winnipeg in solid cash, \$966,000 more to keep warm this winter than it did last year.

## IMPORTANT REPORT ON CANADA'S MINES

**New Department at Ottawa is Collecting Authentic Information Covering Every Phase of the Industry.**

(Special to the Times.)  
Ottawa, May 20.—In view of the numerous requests from this country and from abroad for information on the mining and metallurgical industries of Canada and the need of such a publication to bring the mining and metallurgical industries of the Dominion in touch with the newly created department of mines, the Minister, Hon. W. Templeman, has authorized the collection of authentic and reliable information for a report on "The Mining and Metallurgical Industry of Canada." This report will cover the whole country, and will give the following information: Name of company, date of incorporation and charter, authorized capital, value of shares, directors and officers, head office, Canadian office, number of men employed, wages, transportation facilities, market and prices. The following additional information will also be given: Mining land owned and controlled (provinces, township, concession, lot), class and character of ore mined, average quality of ore (analysis), method of mining, treatment of ore, if any; cost of mining (drilling, explosives, hoisting, transportation, general expenses) total cost per ton of ore raised.

For the metallurgical industry, the following information will be given: Location of plant, ore treated, quality of product, method of treatment, description of machinery and apparatus used, source of supply of raw material, composition of raw material, and cost of production. It is proposed to report only upon producing mines, mines under development, and established metallurgical plants. The present rapid progress in the development of these industries and the changing conditions regarding such factors as labor, market and prices will necessitate supplementary annual publications to bring the information of the original report up to date until the changes and new material call for the issuance of a complete new report.

It is hoped that those in charge of the mines and industries to be reported upon will furnish every facility to representatives of the department of mines, for obtaining such full and accurate data as will render the report authoritative and useful.

## CAUGHT IN MACHINERY

**Chinaman Crushed to Death in Mill at Vancouver.**

Vancouver, May 19.—A fatal accident occurred last night about 10 o'clock at the Cascade Mills, Limited, at the south end of Cambie street bridge. A Chinese employee who cleans out the mill at night was the victim. One of the mill hands, who is on the all-night shift, missed the Oriental, and upon going in search of him found his dead body lying on the mill floor in a badly mangled condition. Suspended in the machinery was the unfortunate Chinaman's queue. How the accident occurred is a mystery, but it is supposed that while working around the moving machinery his queue caught in the shafting and he was dragged to his death. His clothing was torn to shreds and death must have been instantaneous.

## AGRICULTURAL INQUIRY

(Special to the Times.)  
Ottawa, May 20.—The census department is arranging to take the agricultural position of the five eastern provinces, three Maritime, Quebec and Ontario. This will be done by forms sent by mail.

## HEARING OF CASE AGAINST SCHMITZ

**Prosecution to File Reply to Defendant's Motion Seeking Change of Judge.**

(Special to the Times.)  
San Francisco, May 20.—The hearing of five grand jury charges of extortion brought against Mayor Schmitz, has been continued for one day in order to allow the prosecution to file a counter affidavit in reply to a motion by the defendant seeking to change the trial judge.

Attorney Heney denies the report that it is intended to have Schmitz placed in custody during his trial. His bail is \$50,000.

Schmitz looked pale and glum to-day. There was a large crowd in court, the aisles being filled.

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## GORDON HEAD AGAINST BY-LAW

**WILL NOT ADOPT NEW POUND SYSTEM**

**Meeting of Saanich Council Approves of Several Plans for Subdivisions in Municipality.**

The Saanich municipal council met on Saturday night at the building on Glenford avenue, which does service as the Municipal hall until a new one can be built.

There was considerable business of a routine character transacted and several subdivisions approved of by the council.

A map was submitted by Beaumont Boggs, representing the purchasers who subdivided a portion of the Scott farm. The plan as submitted was approved of by the council.

Two other subdivisions were submitted, one of a part of the North dairy farm, and the other of the old McHugh farm.

These were likewise approved of by the council.

In connection with the pound by-law recently passed, the decision of ward 4, Gordon Head, was received which was against the by-law being adopted in that part of the municipality.

When the by-law was passed it was agreed that each ward should have the privilege of deciding whether it should apply to their section. A petition was submitted, therefore, and Gordon Head ward decided against the adoption of the system.

The pound system as provided for by the by-law will therefore be enforced only in the other two wards of the municipality.

The council adjourned for two weeks.

## NEARING COMPLETION

**Silica Brick & Lime Company Will Soon Have Works Running.**

The installation of the plant in the Silica Brick & Lime Company's works at Parson's Bridge is proceeding at a rapid pace and the works will be in running order at the end of three weeks. It will have a capacity of 15,000 to 20,000 bricks for a day of ten hours, but, as soon as conditions warrant it, this capacity will be increased. Three classes of brick will be made to suit all requirements, and as it is possible to mould these bricks into any shape desired, a large and profitable business is looked forward to by the company.

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## CONFERENCE MAY CLOSE WEDNESDAY

Rev. W. E. Prescott Will Pay Visit to  
Victoria Before Going to  
Winnipeg.

(Special to the Times).  
Vernon, May 20.—This morning Rev. W. E. Prescott, who is leaving Vernon for a Whistler church, was farewelled by the conference and made the recipient of much eulogy. Speeches were made by Rev. S. J. Thompson and others, and a resolution was moved by Rev. J. Bette, seconded by Rev. J. A. Hicks. Mr. Prescott in reply expressed regret at leaving British Columbia and said many important things about the advancement of the Methodist church here, as also, of the advancement of thought in the Christian world generally. Before going east he will spend a short vacation in Victoria. The editor of the Christian Guardian, Rev. W. B. Creighton, addressed the conference this morning, giving interesting figures of the growth of the paper and plans for its extension. He made a fine impression upon the conference and on motion of Rev. J. F. Hicks, editor of the Methodist Record, Victoria, a hearty resolution was carried, pledging the conference to loyalty to the Guardian and high appreciation of its editor.

Yesterday's services were of a high order. The sermon in the morning by Rev. James Allen, Toronto, was most able and eloquent. In the evening an immense crowd gathered to hear a sermon from Rev. John Calvert, of Australia. During the evening Mr. W. Hicks, of Vancouver, formerly of Victoria, sang a solo. On Saturday the excursion given the conference by the civic authorities was a great success and all were surprised at the extent of Coldstream orchards. The theological lecture on Saturday night by Rev. W. Ashley Hall was a scholarly one, dealing in a masterly way with the subject of progressive revelation. It lasted three hours. It is probable the conference will close on Wednesday.

### SUDDEN DEATH.

J. W. Haskins Dropped Dead To-Day  
on Wharf at Vancouver.

A message has been received in the city to-day that J. W. Haskins, well known in this city and died very suddenly on the wharf at Vancouver to-day. Mr. Haskins, who for a number of years has been very prominently identified with the Rosella Hydraulic Mining, operating in northern British Columbia, was about to leave with a large party of men for the mines. He had taken passage for on Saturday May, intending to land at Juneau and proceed from there to the mines. To-day at noon the steamer sailed from Vancouver. Mr. Haskins, after stepping from the steamer, onto the wharf dropped dead. His death was due to heart failure.

Mrs. Haskins, who had accompanied her husband to Vancouver, left a short time before for the Charming for Victoria.

### DECORATION DAY.

Local Lodge of Eagles Held Services at  
Cemetery Yesterday.

Over 150 members of the local lodge of Eagles marched out yesterday, the occasion being Decoration Sunday. Leaving the lodge headquarters on Government street the procession, headed by the Fifth Regiment band, proceeded to Ross Bay cemetery where the usual ceremonies were performed. In the centre of the cemetery the annual memorial service was held. President J. H. Penketh delivered the opening address which was followed by prayers by the lodge chaplain, H. S. Bender. A sacred selection was then rendered by the band after which an oration was delivered by Joseph Wachter.

Frank L. Roy, secretary of the lodge, called the roll of departed brethren and the whole company then joined in the singing of "Nearer My God to Thee." After the closing prayers the procession returned to the Eagles' hall where the members dispersed.

### DR. TELFORD FINED.

Vancouver Physician Found Guilty of  
Practising Without License.

A special from Vancouver to-day says: Dr. R. G. Telford was to-day found technically guilty of practising medicine and costs for practising without a license from the College of Physicians and Surgeons.

Dr. Telford, as noted in the Times previously, was brought before the police magistrate some days ago charged with practising and taking remuneration, although no license from the College of Physicians and Surgeons, having been deprived of it a few years ago.

Ralph Johnson, of Nanaimo, on Saturday night showed his decided superiority over M. Matsuda, the clever Japanese wrestler of Vancouver, by defeating him in two straight falls in 17 and 10 minutes respectively.

The funeral of the late Andrew Vigilius took place this morning at 11 o'clock from the Hannu undertaking parlors. There was a large gathering of friends and many beautiful floral tributes. The I. O. O. F. general relief committee was represented by the president and secretary, Rev. Mr. Draba officiated and the pallbearers were: A. Brown, T. Hines, T. Geiger, A. Wilson, P. Anglehart and Wm. Grimm.

The Spring Ridge school re-opened this morning with a very slim attendance, only sixty-five out of one hundred and seventy-five being present. At the Central school the divisions that have been closed for a few days were this morning re-opened. In the upper forms there was nothing to indicate that there was any further spread of the measles to be apprehended. It is possible in the opinion of the city superintendent of schools that some with the idea that this is a short week, are staying home until after the 24th.



With the largest cargo which she has carried from this port to the north this year, including in all some 175 tons, the steamer Princess May, Captain McLeod, sailed from the C. P. R. wharf on Saturday night. Most of the cargo was consigned to Wrangell and took the form of groceries. Among the passengers were Messrs. Sam Thompson, Amos Godfrey, James Lee, W. Phillips and Arthur Chaffinor, all of Nanaimo, who are on their way to Wrangell. The party has gone to the Cassiar country to work on the Rosella mining property. The Princess May will call at Juneau on a trip to land a survey party from Vancouver.

### PRINCESS TO SAIL.

Cleaned and with a bright new coat of paint, the steamer Princess Victoria has returned to the C. P. R. wharf from the Esquimalt dock. Tomorrow she will commence the summer service on the triangular route, leaving this port for Seattle at 5.30 p. m. To-day she is taking on a cargo of coal and her deck fittings are being furnished. The steamer Princess Beatrice when taken off the Seattle run to-morrow will lie up for some time and will go to Esquimalt to be thoroughly overhauled. On the 6th of June she will commence to sail on an alternate weekly schedule with the Princess May to Skagway. When the Princess Royal is completed and ready for commission she is scheduled for her first sailing on the 4th of July—the Princess Beatrice will be taken off the Skagway run and placed on the northern British Columbia route. The Princess Royal will then make alternate weekly sailings to Skagway with the Princess May, both vessels by that time having been equipped with the Marconi system of wireless telegraphy. The Amur in the meantime will continue to ply to northern British Columbia ports and from the commencement of July the C. P. R. coast service will have four vessels running to northern waters.

### INSTALLING BEACONS.

A force of men under the charge of Foreman L. Cullison, have been busy during the past week installing beacons for the aid of navigation in the waters near Nanaimo. The Dominion government chartered the steamer Maude to do the work, and in all three acetylene light beacons have been installed, and a red light beacon at Dodd's Narrows, a white light beacon on West Rock, better known as the Five Finger Islands, and a white light beacon on Danger Reef, at the entrance to Ladysmith harbor. The lights are of 30 candle power and burn six months without being trimmed. It requires 1,000 pounds of carbide and 500 pounds of water to fill the lamp.

Mr. Cullison, who for the past nine years has been engaged in installing beacons along this coast, has gone to complete the installation of the beacon on Danger Reef, which he expects to have completed by Wednesday next.

### BOOM SCATTERED.

On Saturday evening two sections of a large boom of logs, in tow of the tug Saddle, coming from Gabriola Island broke apart off Clover Point. There was a fairly strong current running, and in a short time the logs were scattered over the straits. On Saturday night enterprising salvors were at work securing the logs that came ashore on the beach, and yesterday large crowds at Beacon Hill Park, watched with interest a score of small boats and Indian canoes engaged in the difficult work of towing logs to safety. The boom belonged to Moore & Whittington and broke in almost the exact spot where the Leigh Mill Company lost three sections of a big boom two weeks ago. The tug was strong at this point and towing is nearly always a hazardous undertaking.

### MAY RUN ON WEST COAST.

Once more the question of the Union Steamship Company placing a vessel on the west coast route has been raised. J. H. Wrigley, assistant general manager of the company, is in the city, and when approached on the subject he stated that while he had heard the matter discussed, had no authority to make any statement on the subject. It is thought, however, that when the new steamer Cariboo, which the Union Steamship Company has now under construction in the Old Country, comes out here towards the end of the year, such a course will be adopted. At present the only vessel which plies the west coast from this port is the steamer Tees.

Mr. Wrigley states that while the new steamer Cariboo will not be so large as the Camosun, she will be more up-to-date in every respect. She will be a twin screw and capable of making very fast time. It is impossible, Mr. Wrigley says, to say when she will be finished, as there are strikes on in the Old Country which are considerably retarding the progress of construction. Mr. Wrigley represents the interests of a large number of shareholders in the Union Steamship Company and will in the future spend his time between British Columbia and the Old Country looking after the interests of the line. He is well satisfied with the prospects for trade along this coast line.

### SMUGGLED IN BOXES.

Through a mutual agreement between the Canadian and American governments six Japanese women and a steamer passenger named Seesoki were deported to Japan on the Holt liner Onaka which sailed for the Orient yesterday. The women were brought over in wooden cases and had it not been for the outbreak of small-pox, necessitating fumigation upon arrival, they would probably have escaped the eyes of the immigration officers and entered the States. When the fumigation was commenced, considerable commotion was discovered in the holds of the vessel, and upon investigation, it was found that six women were enclosed in as many wooden cases which were consigned to a steamer passenger, K. Seesoki. The latter is said to be an agent for the Tai Tojoro, a procurer, who was deported from San Francisco two years ago. The Onaka called at

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R. F. TAYLOR, Manager

Port Townsend for Seesoki and his charges yesterday.

Two of the men from the Onaka's crew who were detained at William Head in quarantine, were discharged on Saturday evening and took the Sound boat in time to join their ship in Seattle. The remaining man will be discharged in the course of a few days. Five members of the Empress of Japan's crew are also being detained, suffering from the same disease.

### BRINGS MANY PASSENGERS.

Steamer Spokane, of the Pacific Steamship Company, arrived in port this morning with a large passenger list. In all 251 were carried from San Francisco to the Sound. The Spokane had an uneventful voyage, and after discharging her cargo and landing the following passengers at this port, she sailed for the Sound: A. C. Drysdale, H. K. B. Clark, A. E. Ferngrove, Geo. Springleton, C. E. Libbald, Mrs. R. G. Brooks, Mrs. Grant, O. N. Steangton, Marian Clark, Mrs. M. A. Sampson, H. E. Sampson and five second class passengers.

### MARINE NOTES.

The steamer Camosun, of the Union Steamship Company, arrived in port this afternoon. She brought a number of passengers south, all of whom were landed at Vancouver. To-night she will sail again for the North when she will have about 20 passengers from this port and some 40 tons of miscellaneous freight. Heavy traffic has now set in to the north and from Vancouver the Camosun will have a full list.

British steamer Willesden, Captain Raeburn, after laying off the outer wharf for some time, on Saturday passed out to sea on her way to Australia. She had a cargo of 2,619,303 feet of lumber consigned from Bellingham to Australia.

The gasoline launch Baldy has been chartered to act as tender to the salmon traps of Messrs. Findlay, Durham & Brodie. She entered service on Saturday. The trap at Otter Point will be lifted again to-morrow.

The steamer Tees, Captain Townsend, is scheduled to sail for the West Coast, going as far as Quinalto, to-night. She will call at the new whaling station at Kyquoot sound to land a quantity of supplies.

Owing to the longshoremen's troubles on the Sound the steamer City of Puebla, of the Pacific Steamship Company, will not get away from this port for San Francisco until tomorrow night. She will thus be a day late in sailing.

The Blue Funnel liner Yangtze sailed for Vancouver early yesterday morning. She will be there for some days engaged in discharging cargo.

No. 2 Company, Fifth Regiment, will meet Wednesday evening at eight o'clock for the consideration of business.

The death occurred on the 18th inst. of Edward Philam, aged 36 years, at his residence on Esquimalt road. The funeral will take place on Tuesday morning at 9 a. m. Rev. Father Nicolai will officiate.

Work at the Nootka quarries was recently commenced and over one hundred tons of fine marble are now ready for shipment. The steamer Tees will probably bring a consignment of fifty tons for Victoria on her return voyage from the north.

J. M. Whitney, manager of the J. M. Whitney Jewelry Company and optical merchant of Woodstock, is preparing to open a retail store in the premises recently occupied by the B. C. Permanent Loan & Investment Company, 29 Government street. Mr. Whitney has unbounded faith in the business possibilities of Victoria and it was this, combined with the beautiful climate, that has attracted him to the city. He expects to open business some time next week, and will have his up-to-date store well stocked with a most attractive and valuable line of goods, special attention being given to diamonds. In connection with the jewelry business Mr. Whitney will conduct an optical department, being himself an optician with considerable experience. The fixtures in the new store will be among the most expensive in western Canada. The wood work is all of mahogany, and was manufactured by Dickson & Howe, the local firm on Johnson street.

The doll is probably the most antique of toys. It has been found in the graves of children of ancient Rome.

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—Smart boy to deliver parcels. Apply McCandless Bros., 27 Johnson St.

FOUND—On Friday last, a sum of money, in the Post Office. Owner may have same by applying at Room 18, Bank of Commerce Building.

TO LET—Two furnished rooms, with board, 9 Vancouver street.

WANTED—Private room and board, by a gentleman, price must be reasonable. Apply J. H. Times Office.

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## A LORD'S DAY ACT.

Sunday, Sunday, is the very day to ride;  
Place your girl upon her wheel, and run out side by side.  
Never mind the preacher, they don't deal in fact.  
Every ray of sunshine is the "Lords' Day Act."

Sunday, Sunday, the Racycle's the thing  
To ride in Summer, Autumn, Winter, Spring;  
Just the slightest action and a little tact.  
Makes the spinning Racycle "A Lords' Day Act."

A fig for the Alliance! RELIANCE is the thing—  
Reliance in the saddle, the frame, the brake, the spring;  
The parsons may grow angry, 'tis their nature to,  
But a ride out on Sunday is a "Lord's Day Act" for you.

Go out into the country, leave the church alone;  
What's the use to stay inside, to mutter, grunt and groan?  
Buy the wife a Racycle, 'twill cost you less, in fact,  
Than paying preachers to rave about the Lord's Day Act.

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FOR SALE—New 2 1/2 h. p. gasoline engine. Apply 67 Broad street.

WANTED—Horse for single lumber wagon. Moore & Whittington, contractors.

FOR SALE—Choice solid mahogany 3-piece sitting room set in city; also navy officer's cedar silver chest; also the large 48-inch diameter navy brass shells. H. Shadthagen, the Indian trader, 79 Johnson street.

FOR SALE—Field glass and case, \$5; Smith & Wesson revolver, 44 cal., \$8; Smith and case, \$3.50; watch chain, 9 year, \$1.50; W. B. Raymond, 17 Jewels, \$15; gun metal watch, \$1.75; navy blue suit, \$20; Girls' Own Annual, 20c; tool box, \$5.00. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 44 Johnson street, two blocks below Government.

WANTED—Two ladies to demonstrate, a few hours a day. Inquire 134 Fort St.

CHOICE CACTUS DAHLIAS, hanging baskets, bedding plants, etc., delivered to any part of city. Post card will find us. Mt. Tolmie Nursery.

## PUBLIC NOTICE

After June 1st the Retail Grocers of Victoria will close their places of business on Thursday of each week at 12.30, remaining closed the rest of the day.

This step is taken to enable the employer and employees to have a little relaxation during the summer months. We, as Grocers of the City of Victoria, ask one and all of our patrons to help us by ordering early on Thursday morning, as an afternoon each week will compensate for our long hours.

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## GORGE ROAD Water Frontage

5 Acres good land, with fine view, near Victoria Gardens. Beautiful residential site. Price, per acre, \$1,000.

## GLANFORD AVENUE

8 acres, Southern slope. Adjoins the railway. All cleared and under cultivation. City water main within 100 feet. Only four miles from the City Hall on a good road. High land with good view. Suitable for fruit, trees and strawberries. Price, \$1,750.

## PANDORA ST. and HARRISON AVE.

2 houses on one large lot, in first class repair. One block from car line. Rents for \$17 per month. Price, \$2,100.

## THIRD STREET

Six room cottage, garden, eight fruit trees, electric light, modern plumbing. Price, \$2,500.

## MYRTLE STREET

Six lots. Price, each \$200.

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Wilfred Roger as King Herod, with  
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The dramatic event of the season.  
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Friday, May 24th, 11 a.m.

Saturday May 25th, 3 p.m.

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FITHS, MR. ARTHUR GORE, MRS.  
HARRY YOUNG, MISS BROOK-  
ER, MR. BERT. FOOTE.

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MAY 21st, 8.30 P. M.

Admission, 50c; reserved seats, 75c.  
Plan at M. W. Waitt & Co.'s store, Gov-  
ernment street. Tickets may be had at  
the above store, the Tourist Rooms, Fort  
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THE CONCERT GIVEN BY THIS  
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MOST PLEASING MUSICAL  
EVENT OF THE YEAR. THE  
PROGRAMME THIS YEAR IS A  
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The proceeds will be defrayed to the  
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the city.

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CITY MARKET

## SEEDING IS NOW ABOUT OVER

LITTLE DECREASE  
IN AMOUNT SOWN

Canadian Takes Change of Agricul-  
tural College in State of  
Georgia.

Winnipeg, May 18.—It is surmised  
from reports coming in from all over  
the country that from 85 to 90 per cent.  
of the wheat will be sown by to-night,  
or practically all. A decrease of from  
10 to 15 per cent. of the amount sown  
last year is estimated, but it is thought  
that the decrease will not materially  
affect the farmers, as it has been  
proven in former years that with good  
weather the crops that were late sown  
turned out an average yield. Many  
farmers were through seeding a couple  
of days ago, and though others have  
not been as fortunate, the general  
opinion amongst them is that the out-  
look is very satisfactory.

Portage Plains.

Portage in Prairie, May 18.—Seeding  
has been completed on the Portage  
plains, and the acreage will be the  
same as last year in wheat, while con-  
siderable more barley will be sown.

Crowded Out.

Winnipeg, May 18.—Owing to the  
police station cells being crowded 16  
prisoners serving sentences, were re-  
leased before their terms were over.

New Deputy Minister.

Winnipeg, Man., May 18.—Charles  
Dancer, C. E., was appointed to-day  
deputy minister of public works and  
chief engineer for the province.

Father Veins Dead.

Portage la Prairie, Man., May 18.—  
The death occurred to-day of Rev.  
Father F. J. Veins, priest of the St.  
Cuthbert's church, who succumbed  
after a lengthy illness from inflamma-  
tory rheumatism. He had been in St.  
Cuthbert's church for eight years last  
Sunday and was beloved by the mem-  
bers of his parish. He was a native of  
Quebec.

New Machine Shop.

Brandon, May 18.—The contract has  
been let by the Canadian Pacific rail-  
way for the construction of the big  
machine shop which will be erected in  
Brandon this summer.

Goes to Georgia.

Toronto, May 18.—Professor A. M.  
Sproul, a native of Wentworth coun-  
cil and graduate of the Ontario agri-  
cultural college, has just been ap-  
pointed to take charge of the agricultural  
work of the college of Georgia. A new  
agricultural college is being built at  
Athens in that state.

Mechanics Wanted.

Toronto, May 18.—"That the Do-  
minion government respectfully  
urged to encourage through its pres-  
ent immigration officers and by the  
appointment of special representa-  
tives for this purpose, the immigra-  
tion not only of farm laborers, but also  
of skilled mechanics, where opportu-  
nities are known to exist, and thus as-  
sist in building up our native indus-  
tries." This is the form of a resolu-  
tion adopted by the executive of the  
Canadian Manufacturers' Association at  
its meeting to-day. Harry Cock-  
shutt, of Brantford, president of the  
association, has been favored with a  
communication from Earl Grey, calling  
attention to the value of the opportu-  
nities Canada is losing in Japan by  
reason of the failure of Canadian firms  
to keep competent agents on the ground  
to solicit orders. Earl Grey is con-  
vinced from a number of cases that  
have been brought to his attention that  
nearly all the business Canada gets  
through the United States houses  
comes only because these houses are  
themselves short of stock and unable  
to fill their orders. The association is  
to investigate the subject very care-  
fully. It has been definitely decided to  
hold the annual convention in Toronto  
on September 24th, 25th and 26th.

Buffaloes For Canada.

Calgary, May 18.—A train load of  
the buffaloes which the Dominion gov-  
ernment have purchased in Montana,  
will pass through Calgary within the  
next week. There will be eighteen  
cars in the train, and about two hun-  
dred head of the old prairie kings on  
board. The bulls will be carried eight  
in a car, each in separate compart-  
ments, and younger stock will be car-  
ried in open cars like range cattle. The  
second train will leave some time in  
August. It will be loaded with the

same stock.

Shipment for the week were, Centre  
Star, 2,185 tons; Le Roi, 3,455 tons; Le  
Roi Two, 315 tons; White Bear, 95 tons;  
White Bear (milled), 350. Total for week  
6,360 tons, and for the year to date,  
94,912 tons.

Trail smelter received 2,723 tons dur-  
ing the week, and Northport smelter  
3,455 tons.

Smelter Receipts.

Nelson, May 18.—The following are  
the ore shipments and smelter receipts  
in southeastern British Columbia dis-  
tricts for the past week and year to  
date in tons:

Shipments: East of Columbia river,  
week 2,509, year, 44,785. Rossland, week  
6,314, year 97,323. Boundary, week  
3,620, year 370,392. Total week, 12,943,  
year 512,500.

Smelter receipts: Grand Forks, week  
nil, year, 207,822. Greenwood, week 3,  
560, year 96,777. Boundary Falls, week  
nil, year 94,147. Nelson, week 357, year  
1,000. Trail, week 2,723, year 52,185.  
Northport, week 2,027, year 22,523.  
Mariesville, week 600, year 12,000. Total,  
week 11,367, year 495,546.

BUSY DAY FOR KUROKI

New York, May 18.—General Baron  
Kuroki and his staff was a remarkable  
welcome from the race track enthu-  
siasts of New York this afternoon,  
when they went to Belmont Park to see  
the races. From club house to paddock  
betting ring the finely gowned women,  
the people who daily enthrall as each  
race is hung up, and the phlegmatic  
bookmakers applauded and cheered the  
small Japanese hero. To-night Baron  
Kuroki, his staff and the American  
military officers accompanying them,  
had an evening of rest at the hotel  
Astoria, the close of the most strenu-  
ous day the party has had since Gen-  
eral Kuroki landed in America.

KILLED BY LIVE WIRE

Elizabeth, N. J., May 18.—James Hol-  
land, a lineman in the employ of the  
New York & New Jersey Telephone  
company, was killed while at work on a  
pole. He came in contact with a live  
wire, and his body hung on one of the  
bars of the pole 31 feet from the ground  
for some time. Holland's home was in  
Union, N. J.

ALLEGED ATTEMPT  
TO POISON FAMILY

One Girl is Dead and Young Man  
Must Face Charge of  
Murder.

Winnipeg, Man., May 18.—A charge  
of murder had been laid against Alex.  
Chony, a Galician, living near East  
poplar, 22 miles from Selkirk. The ac-  
cused has been arrested on a charge  
of murdering Annie Horem, a child  
two and a half years old. The prelimi-  
nary hearing on the charge of murder  
will be held on Tuesday next at 2 p.  
m. Accused is in jail at Selkirk. An  
inquest has already been held on the  
deceased child and a verdict of murder  
returned.

The man is charged with murder by  
putting strychnine in sugar. The al-  
leged offence occurred last Sunday,  
and as a result of it one child is dead  
and a number of others are very ill.  
The accused man is a son of John  
Horem, and it is alleged that he at-  
tempted to poison the whole family,  
because of a quarrel over some land.  
Chony is said to have secured poison  
from a shanty belonging to a man  
named McKay, a trapper, who kept it  
for the purpose of poisoning wolves. It  
is claimed that the accused man was  
seen in the house where the poison was  
put in the sugar, and it is also alleged  
that the children had been eating sugar  
out of a bowl without any ill effects,  
but after his departure they ate some  
more and became deadly sick. A sur-  
geon was administered to the children,  
and all recovered but the child Annie.  
The police were notified and Chony was  
arrested, as stated by Detectives Mc-  
Kenzie and Parr.

The amount of strychnine found in  
the sugar was considerable, and an  
experiment was tried on a cat, with  
the result that it died in less than ten  
minutes.

MEAN THIEF.

Young Man's Coat and Shoes Stolen  
While He Was Rescuing Girl  
From River.

New York, May 18.—A spectacular  
rescue was effected in the  
swirling waters of Hell Gate to-day,  
when Frances Horr, aged 17 years, was  
saved from suicide by drowning by three  
young men after a hard struggle.

The girl, after brooding long over her  
troubles, threw herself into the river.  
The love of life temporarily over-  
came her desire to die, and she screamed  
lustily. Joseph Lazarus, Michael Flynn  
and Valentine Sealander heard her cries  
and ran to the water. They sought the  
source of the appeals for help. They  
could not see anyone and were about to  
leap blindly into the river, trusting to  
chance to direct them, when the search-  
light of a passing steamer revealed a  
struggling woman. They dived in the  
direction of the light. Lazarus reached  
the girl first and was nearly throttled by  
her would-be suicide, whose desire to die  
had returned with the prospect of rescue.  
His companions reached them just in time  
to save the pair from drowning, and the  
girl was borne ashore and removed to the  
hospital. She will recover. While the  
men were in the water someone stole  
Lazarus' coat and shoes, which he had  
cast off on shore before plunging into the  
water.

BILIOUSNESS IS  
SO EASY TO CURE

WHEN YOU TAKE THE RIGHT  
THING.

A man or woman who is always get-  
ting bilious—who has a lazy liver—can  
be cured so easily and so quickly that  
they will wonder why they suffered so  
long.

Hunyadi Janos will keep your liver in  
such perfect condition that you can't  
help being well. This world-famous  
mineral water acts directly on the liver,  
rouses it to healthy action, and is a  
strengthening, invigorating liver tonic.  
Hunyadi Janos not merely relieves—but  
actually cures—liver troubles.

Hunyadi Janos regulates the bowels,  
cleanses and tones the stomach—and  
clears the skin.

Best of all, Hunyadi Janos contains  
no violent purgatives or dangerous  
drugs. It is a natural water and its  
marvellous curative powers are those  
which Nature gives it. There is no  
danger of acquiring the drug habit  
when you take Hunyadi Janos.

All druggists sell it. Try a small  
bottle, it costs but a trifle.

MINING DEAL

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## ALLEGED ATTEMPT TO POISON FAMILY

One Girl is Dead and Young Man  
Must Face Charge of  
Murder.

Winnipeg, Man., May 18.—A charge  
of murder had been laid against Alex.  
Chony, a Galician, living near East  
poplar, 22 miles from Selkirk. The ac-  
cused has been arrested on a charge  
of murdering Annie Horem, a child  
two and a half years old. The prelimi-  
nary hearing on the charge of murder  
will be held on Tuesday next at 2 p.  
m. Accused is in jail at Selkirk. An  
inquest has already been held on the  
deceased child and a verdict of murder  
returned.

The man is charged with murder by  
putting strychnine in sugar. The al-  
leged offence occurred last Sunday,  
and as a result of it one child is dead  
and a number of others are very ill.  
The accused man is a son of John  
Horem, and it is alleged that he at-  
tempted to poison the whole family,  
because of a quarrel over some land.  
Chony is said to have secured poison  
from a shanty belonging to a man  
named McKay, a trapper, who kept it  
for the purpose of poisoning wolves. It  
is claimed that the accused man was  
seen in the house where the poison was  
put in the sugar, and it is also alleged  
that the children had been eating sugar  
out of a bowl without any ill effects,  
but after his departure they ate some  
more and became deadly sick. A sur-  
geon was administered to the children,  
and all recovered but the child Annie.  
The police were notified and Chony was  
arrested, as stated by Detectives Mc-  
Kenzie and Parr.

The amount of strychnine found in  
the sugar was considerable, and an  
experiment was tried on a cat, with  
the result that it died in less than ten  
minutes.

MEAN THIEF.

Young Man's Coat and Shoes Stolen  
While He Was Rescuing Girl  
From River.

New York, May 18.—A spectacular  
rescue was effected in the  
swirling waters of Hell Gate to-day,  
when Frances Horr, aged 17 years, was  
saved from suicide by drowning by three  
young men after a hard struggle.

The girl, after brooding long over her  
troubles, threw herself into the river.  
The love of life temporarily over-  
came her desire to die, and she screamed  
lustily. Joseph Lazarus, Michael Flynn  
and Valentine Sealander heard her cries  
and ran to the water. They sought the  
source of the appeals for help. They  
could not see anyone and were about to  
leap blindly into the river, trusting to  
chance to direct them, when the search-  
light of a passing steamer revealed a  
struggling woman. They dived in the  
direction of the light. Lazarus reached  
the girl first and was nearly throttled by  
her would-be suicide, whose desire to die  
had returned with the prospect of rescue.  
His companions reached them just in time  
to save the pair from drowning, and the  
girl was borne ashore and removed to the  
hospital. She will recover. While the  
men were in the water someone stole  
Lazarus' coat and shoes, which he had  
cast off on shore before plunging into the  
water.

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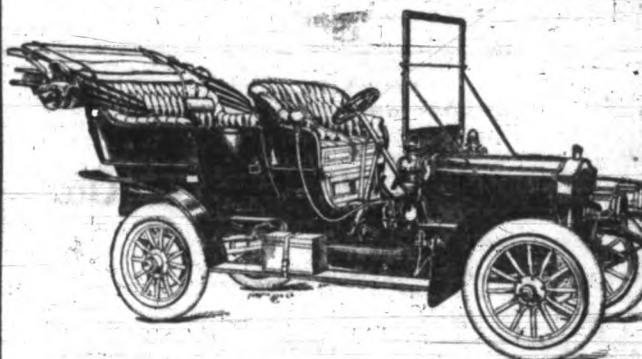
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## ARE "COLONIALS" SELFISH?

Members of the Campbell-Bannerman government of Great Britain seem to think purely selfish motives are at the bottom of the agitation for Imperial preferential trade—that the Colonial Premiers have importuned the British government to grant a preference to colonial products because such a preference would naturally enhance the value of the goods produced by the colonies. We believe that in putting such a construction upon the motives of Premier Deakin and other representatives from Australasia and South Africa an injustice, unintentional, no doubt, has been done these gentlemen. The trouble is that their patriotism, or Imperialism, is not thoroughly comprehended by either the members of the government of Great Britain or by the majority of Britons who support that government. Indeed we fear the attitude of the preferential traders is misunderstood by many persons in Canada who ought to be in a position because of similarity of circumstances to understand their motives.

The fact of the matter appears to be that the representatives from the colonies are altogether too Imperialistic in spirit to be thoroughly understood by the matter-of-fact and completely self-satisfied statesman-like Briton. The majority of Canadians feel that if the British Empire is to be maintained in the position of world-pre-eminence it has long held, there must be some form of practical organic union with the colonies, a partnership in business that will make all sections of the Empire one and indivisible. Except for the preference in trade that has been granted by Canada, the British colonies maintain a relationship with the Mother Country that is identical in form with the relations between Great Britain and foreign countries. The sentimental tie is some value to the colonies, because the colonies have the prestige of Great Britain guarding them from the aggressions of unscrupulous powers. It is of no value, but rather a burden, to the mother state. It is in this condition we believe the colonies are sincerely desirous of seeing remedied, and their representatives perceive no prospect of a remedy except in preferential trade, with unity in the competition against the increasing aggressiveness of the world.

The present government of Great Britain, which most unquestionably represents the sentiments of the majority of the people, firmly adheres to the conviction that the future of the Empire is bound up in a steadfast adherence to the principles of free and untrammelled trade with all the world. No preference must be shown to any country, no matter what the relations or the ties that may exist between it and the British Isles. As one of the Ministers candidly pointed out, the trade of the United States is of more value to the British people than the trade of Canada, if not of all of the self-governing colonies added together. It makes no difference about the fiscal attitude of the Americans, hostile though it is and increasingly exclusive though it is manifestly intended to be. The British export manager to break through the barriers to some extent—and that is the factor principally to be considered. Under the circumstances it is

of course useless to point out to the Briton the apparent one-sidedness of the trade he carries on with his valued neighbor. The fact he appears to bear in mind is that if he were to offend his Yankee customer by showing partiality, even to a person of his own household, the narrow avenue through which he does business might be closed up altogether.

The question is, what is the motive at the back of the mind of the average colonial advocate of preferential trade? Does he not believe sincerely that if Great Britain continues in her present course of isolation, if her colonists refuse to see in organic union such as the union of the principalities of Germany or of the States of the American commonwealth, the true solution of the Imperial problem, just as surely as in union there is strength will the Mother Country be gradually shorn of her general pre-eminence and eventually shrink into a second Holland. The argument that the future of the British Empire depends mainly upon the maintenance of the open door with equal opportunities in the Imperial market to members of the family and to strangers alike is not completely convincing to the mere colonial. He may be satisfied that the progress and development of the United States are due to the marvellous natural wealth of that country and that the preservation of the home market for home producers has militated against such progress and development. But when he comes to consider the case of Germany what is he going to think of the argument? Here is a nation that is not blessed with any extraordinary natural resources. Only a very few years ago she had, compared with Great Britain, neither manufactures nor shipping. How many seaports has Germany to-day? And yet she is rapidly becoming one of the chief maritime nations of the world. In a few years she has developed her manufactures to a degree that has made the ingenuity, resourcefulness and enterprise of her people one of the wonders of the world. Like Great Britain, Germany is dependent to a considerable extent upon foreigners for the food her people consume. She has adopted a system in every respect the very antithesis of the British system, and yet there is no question that Germany to-day is surpassing Great Britain in many respects.

Is there any doubt that the Premiers of Australia, of South Africa and of Canada have been seriously studying the case of German unity and have told themselves that if Great Britain and the Greater Britains were a unit as Germany is there could be no misgivings as to the future of the British Empire. Possibly there is also in the heart of each of the colonial premiers a feeling that he dare not express—a misgiving that if the Mother Country continues to turn a deaf ear to the arguments of the colonies, and some of the ministers of the government of the Mother Country to throw out hints that colonial selfishness is at the root of the preferential trade agitation—that as the said colonies develop in strength and become in reality Greater Britains their ambitions may take another form—if the patriotic feelings of the people of the colonies are not to be expressed in Imperialism, they must take another form. What is that form likely to be?

## KITCHENER ON HAND.

It is not likely the unrest at present manifest in India will ever take the form of insurrection, that is to say, not for many years to come. That the Indians cherish aspirations, and that as they add to their native lore all the learning of the strangers who rule them these aspirations will increase in intensity, will only prove a natural development. But unity amongst the natives of India is out of the question. They are more hopelessly sundered by prejudices than any other people of any other country on the face of the earth. Until they can act in harmony and are capable of rising above the prejudices which have been ingrained in their souls by countless years of training they will never be capable of self-government. Until the British mastered the country there was neither security of life nor of property. The pursuit of happiness to the average Indian was a very hopeless quest. If the jade was ever overtaken she soon took flight again. The people of India in general may have outlived the memory or the traditions of the former regime. But the leaders of some of the orders thoroughly comprehend what would come to pass should the British be forced to or should voluntarily relinquish control of the country. There is little doubt that away forward in the future, about the time when all nations have beaten their swords into pruning hooks and converted their rapid-firing guns into agricultural implements, destiny has something governmental in store for the multitudes of India. But in the meantime the Imperial government is taking measures to maintain the present status—In case there should be any necessity. And in this connection the prolongation by the British government of Lord Kitchener's term as commander-in-chief in India for two years beyond the regular term puts an end to various rumors about strained relations which have been current for some time. Lord Kitchener disposed of various other reports in a recent speech, which he delivered in the Governor-General's legislative council. His strategic policy, he declared, was wholly offensive in its purposes. "I have seen it stated," he

said, "that we intend to place a large portion of the Indian forces on the northwest frontier, whilst others seem to be under the impression that the troops are to be collected together in certain great cantonments. The principles on which we have been working are totally different. The distribution of the army in India as it stood before the present changes were introduced has hardly seen any practical improvements since the day of the mutiny. The military areas into which the country has hitherto been divided vary greatly in extent, with a different number of troops in each. They were not such that the peace formations were in any degree adapted to the requirements of war. The troops for the various brigades and divisions of the field army had to be drawn from localities widely separated and from different commands. They could not be trained together in the tactical formations in which they would be employed in the field, and the many administrative details on which every army must depend for its success and very existence were extremely complex and unsatisfactory. We have been attempting to form divisions, self-contained in all respects, not only ready and able to take the field themselves, but also to leave behind, when mobilized, sufficient troops to provide adequately for order and tranquillity in the areas from which they are drawn on mobilization. It has also been necessary to establish these divisions on the main lines of railway in such manner that they can be transported rapidly when required. For this purpose it is manifestly unnecessary and inadvisable to locate the army on the northwest frontier." These, he said, were the main principles of the scheme; when it was complete they would be able to deploy approximately double the former strength in half the time, which appeared to be worth a moderate expenditure simply in the form of an insurance.

The Anarchists of Chicago are talking of running Mr. Meyer, now of Boise, for president of the United States. As there will be at least half a dozen candidates in the field, some of them representing causes more or less akin to anarchy, another one or two will not make much difference to the chances of the choice of President Roosevelt.

The warm shower which fell last night was doubtless cordially welcomed by farmers and fruit growers. If there had been sufficient of it to raise the waters of Elk lake, possibly Mayor Morley would have said it came on his special order.

Celebration day is drawing near. What about decorations? The flags and the bunting ought to be up out very soon. If Victoria can be made to look as merry as she feels on Victoria Day the city will present a very pleasing appearance.

## WEEKLY HALF HOLIDAY.

Stores Will Close After June 1st on Thursday Afternoon.

By a mutual agreement between employers and employees the retail grocery stores in this city will close at 12:30 p. m. every Thursday after June 1st, so as to enable both the proprietors and the clerks to obtain a half-day recreation each week throughout the summer. As this step has been taken in order to compensate them for the long hours of Friday and Saturday, the grocers have advertised the change with the request that the public attend to shopping on Thursday during the morning. It was originally intended to have a half holiday on Wednesday, but the following day was finally chosen because the mid-week double train service on the E. & N. brings in many customers from outlying districts who purchase their supplies for the week on that day.

A meeting of Retail Employees' Association will be held to-night in Pioneer hall at which this matter will be discussed.

## ON THE BISLEY TEAM.

Gunner Fisher, Fifth Regiment, Given a Place.

(Special to the Times).  
Ottawa, May 20.—Youthful, of the 90th Regiment, has notified the secretary of the Dominion Rifle Association, that he cannot go to Bisley. His place on the team will be taken by Gunner F. B. Fisher, Fifth Regiment, Victoria.

In the original make up of the Bisley team three Victorians were given places—Co. Sgt. Major Cavin, Sgt. Carr and Sgt. Brayshaw. The addition of Gunner Fisher makes four members of the Fifth Regiment who have places on the team. Owing to recent illness Sgt. Brayshaw may not be able to go, but in any event there will be three from the local regiment on the team.

## BEES ATTACK ROYAL PARTY.

An exciting experience befell the Duchess of Cornwall and Princess Patricia while visiting Ceylon. An excursion had been made from Colombo to the famous ruins of Anuradhapura, and a portion of the party visited another show place of the island, Sigiri, on reaching the top of the hill were attacked by bees.

The Duchess of Cornwall and the Governor, who awaited the party below, came in for a share of this unwelcome visitation and had to run. After the first encounter the party on the top took refuge in a hollow and the Governor sent mosquito nets from the rest house. The Princess, Capt. Ponsonby and Mr. Hodgson accompanied a dangerous and difficult descent under the nets without mishap, though the bees were attacking all the time.—London Daily News.

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The United States government is building a steamer specially equipped to blow up derelicts. At present all the work that will fall to the new destroyer must be done by the revenue cutters, which are neither built nor equipped for such service.

As the new destroyer is to be unique in many ways, she will also be called upon to do harder work than that assigned to the other cutters in the service. She will have a steaming radius of five thousand miles without stopping to coal, will be provisioned for much longer cruises than she will ever be likely to make, and will be equipped with powerful devices, the most improved life-saving apparatus and with a magazine in which will be high explosives in sufficient quantities to blow half the battleships in the world out of the sea. The gunpowder and dynamite, however, will not be spent to destroy life, but to save it.

The ships that she will attack are those that have outlived their usefulness and have passed from the service of civilization to the class of human enemies. The half-sunken derelicts that float silently up and down across the path of commerce, claiming as victims the finest ships, with their crews and passengers, will be the prey of No. 11, and no mercy will be shown when these mysterious foes are found.

Her field of operations will be comparatively restricted, with Nova Scotia on the north, the Bahamas on the south and the mid-Atlantic on the east. Her duty will be to keep the paths of ocean commerce clear, and the field is large enough to occupy all the time of her swift engines. The other side of the ocean will be patrol-

## led by the ships of Great Britain or the powers of the Continent.

When storms along the seaboard imperil passenger ships or there is other work cut out for life-savers, revenue cutter 11 will be summoned by wireless telegraph if she is at sea and by land wire if in port, and will hasten to the scene.

## VICTIM OF RUSSIAN TYRANNY.

Strangles Herself With Hair—Tragedy of Young Woman Held Without Trial on Learning of Death of Her Husband.

The suicide in the fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul of a young woman named Doronoff, who had been imprisoned there for nearly six months without trial, has caused as painful an impression as that of the girl Vietrova, who committed suicide in the same place about eight or ten years ago by paying over herself the oil of the lamp with which her cell was provided and setting herself on fire. Doronoff strangled herself by tying her hair round her neck, fastening the end of the plait to the foot of the bed and then leaning back till she was released her.

She was a young married woman, barely 25 years of age, who came to St. Petersburg with her husband in the spring of last year. The two lived a quiet, simple life, and attracted little notice from their neighbors, until shortly after a revolutionary outrage, when they disappeared. The police made a descent upon their apartment and left a few men in permanent amish. When, two days later, the husband returned alone, he had hardly entered the hall when they rushed out with loaded revolvers and arrested him. Two days later he was executed in accordance with the verdict of a field court-martial.

The following day the woman Doronoff was arrested. She was immediately incarcerated in the fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul, and, according to what was

the newspaper accounts, she was kept in complete ignorance as to the fate of her husband, the jailers not being allowed to reply to any of her questions. The news of her husband's death, it is said, was conveyed to her on the eve of her suicide.

She had been dead for several hours before it was discovered that she had put an end to her life. She was buried secretly, at night, in the Preobajensky cemetery, where are the graves of many of those who fell during the shooting on Red Sunday. Who she was and who her husband remains a mystery. Those who knew her during her stay in St. Petersburg describe her as an exceptionally beautiful and attractive woman of superior intelligence and education.

## ABDUL HAMID AS A HOST.

Abdul Hamid has a happy knack of making himself agreeable when he likes, and especially to foreigners. Provided you have the necessary credentials for an interview with him, no monarch could be more hospitable. With an invitation to attend the Selamluk, as is notorious, often comes another to meet him after the ceremony at his palace—Yildiz. But when he meets you, he refuses to speak any foreign language, not because he cannot, but because, as his interpreter explains, he "is afraid he could not express himself as graciously as he would like."

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one of the loveliest of the Yildiz roses, and hidden amongst the petals, like a beautiful dewdrop was a diamond valued at \$4,000. There is nothing he would not have given her, so wish he would not have gratified, save one—her desire to visit the Imperial harem. Although she several times insisted, on this point he remained firm.—The By-stander.

## HOUSE OF NAPOLEON.

Historically, Ajaccio, Corsica, is of the utmost importance, for here it was that on the 15th of August, 1769, Napoleon Bonaparte was born, and here it was that the future emperor spent his youth, enlightened by an intelligent and lovely mother. The "Casca Napoleon" is one of the—or, I should say, the principal building in Ajaccio. It is a solid three-story building, with large windows. Situated in the old part of the town, one would scarcely find it were it not for the boys who tender their services to guide—strangers to the place. Although plundered in 1793 by the partisans of Piali, the heroic Corsican fighter for liberty, the house still contains a few reminiscences of the great warrior. Besides a number of ordinary rooms, each room containing some furniture, one finds the bedroom where Napoleon was born, as well as Napoleon's sleeping and study room, with his bed and table, his father's study, still beautifully furnished and the drawing room in which are his mother's piano and her sedan chair.—Theodore de Veer in Four Track News.

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## CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

—Flowers galore, Elite, 43 Fort  
Street.

—The funeral of the late Mrs. Grace  
Stearns took place from the resi-  
dence of her son, 127 North Park street,  
at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Rev.  
Joseph McCoy officiated.

—The funeral of the late Alice El-  
bella Berryman took place yesterday  
afternoon from the family residence,  
Rev. Canon Beaulieu conducted ser-  
vices at the residence and at the grave-  
side. "There" was a large attendance of  
friends.

—The popular Shawanigan Lake hotel,  
conducted by Mrs. Koenig, has recently  
been renovated throughout and has  
been turned into one of the brightest  
as well as one of the most comfortable  
hostelries on the island.

—On Saturday afternoon the children  
of the Protestant Orphanage were en-  
tertained by Mr. Stevens, the proprietor  
of the merry-go-round on Yates street.  
After the little tots had enjoyed the  
whirligig riding to their heart's con-  
tent, they were presented with fruit  
and nuts.

—Baxter hive No. 8, L. O. T. M., will  
hold its regular review to-morrow at 8  
o'clock p. m. at Semple's hall, Victoria  
West. Further arrangements for the  
concert and entertainment to be given  
Tuesday evening, May 21st, will be  
made and a full attendance of officers  
and members is requested.

—The Builders' Association has called  
a meeting for Tuesday evening next.  
Among the questions discussed will be  
the changing of the association into a  
Builders' Exchange. Hitherto it has  
been for carpenters, contractors only,  
a club as it were; now it is the in-  
tention to make it open for any general  
builder.

—On Saturday afternoon the gaso-  
line launch constructed during leisure  
hours by Mr. D. J. McBeath, of Robert  
street, Victoria West, and his son,  
Johnnie, was successfully given to the  
water. The launch is named the Bon-  
ita, is 22 feet, 7 inches in length and is  
fitted with a ship engine which is ex-  
pected to easily give her a speed of 10  
knots an hour. The Bonita is a credit  
to her makers.

—An United States patent has been  
granted to C. A. Cornwall, Vancouver,  
for an invention which, when applied  
to an ordinary gramophone, will con-  
trol the speed of the record's rotation  
and indicate on a graduated scale.  
This will render the correct musical  
rendition of a selection certain, the  
time, at present a matter of guess-work  
being controlled by the attachment.  
Rowland Brittain, patent attorney,  
Vancouver, secured the patent for the  
inventor.

—Ald. Lewis Hall gives notice that he  
will, to-night, move for leave to intro-  
duce a by-law to adjust the differences  
between the city and the property own-  
ers of Victoria West. This is in pur-  
suance of the act passed by the legis-  
lature at the last session making Wm.  
Ralph's survey the official one for that  
portion of the city, and empowering the  
city to enforce the same. As soon as  
the by-law is passed, immediate steps  
will be taken to have the street lines  
officially straightened out. W. A. Gleason  
gives notice that he will move that  
that portion of Richmond avenue be-  
tween Leighton avenue and Cadboro  
Bay road be sewered by means of a  
branch from the sewer main on the lat-  
ter road, and that the engineer be in-  
structed to proceed at once. Ald. Ver-  
inder will also move for the appoint-  
ment of a parks board.

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John's junior guild which was set for  
to-night, has been postponed until next  
Monday.

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this morning for morning celebration.  
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dulge on week days as it is so much  
cheaper.

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edly meet with the appreciation of all  
patrons, and add to the many attrac-  
tions of the Poodle Dog restaurant, has  
been decided upon by the proprietors of  
that well known establishment. Pro-  
fessor Nagel's orchestra, from the New  
Grand theatre, has been secured to  
dispend music during dinner and sup-  
per. The musical programme given  
yesterday evening, when the feature  
was inaugurated, was an excellent one.  
In future the orchestra will play be-  
tween 6 and 7:30 p. m., and from 10 to  
12 p. m.

—The Kamloops Sentinel says: The  
last of the old Mara steamboats, that  
once plied upon these waters, making  
regular trips from Savona to Spal-  
luchuen, was destroyed by fire at an  
early hour on Wednesday morning.  
When the alarm was turned in, shortly  
after 1 o'clock a. m., the vessel, which  
was beached on the river bank, was  
one mass of flames from stem to stern.  
The rapidity with which the flames  
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Song ..... Mr. Bremner  
Song ..... Mrs. Crawford  
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Various Heads.

Favored by ideal weather the rowing season opened in Victoria on Saturday. To the James Bay Athletic Association belongs the credit of opening the season here by the first of its series of monthly regattas held during the summer months.

It is early in the season to criticize oarsmen and naturally a certain lack of balance was noticeable among the crews. Some very powerful rowers were in evidence and they only require the toning down process that usually comes with time. A prediction to take the water too soon was noticeable, the rowers not allowing their boats to take the full advantage of each stroke.

The regatta was held over the harbor course from Coffin Island to the club house. In the first heat crews stroked by Gordon and Clarke took the water. The boats got away together to a good start. Clarke drew away at first and when passing the Soap Works was leading by a clear length. He could not keep this advantage and Gordon slowly began to pull down the lead. Two hundred yards from home the boats were level and bit by bit Gordon began to pull ahead, eventually winning easily by two lengths and a half.

The second heat produced the most exciting race of the day. It unfortunately ended in something like a fiasco. Boats stroked by Shepherd and Hughes met and kept together until about 150 yards from the finish. Up to this time they had both been steering erratically and now they became mixed up and the judge ordered the race to be re-rowed. Through a further misunderstanding only about three quarters of the course was negotiated the second time and again a ding-dong struggle resulted, and Hughes steering more accurately than his opponent, although it was a case where comparisons were odious, landed his boat a winner by a very narrow margin.

The next heat partook of the nature of a walk over. Stroked by Belyea and Nason, the boats got a good start, but Belyea immediately forged ahead and increasing his lead with every stroke, passed the winning post an easy victor by upwards of four lengths.

Two junior crews stroked by Kennedy and Somers met in the heat for the Times Cup. Over the first half of the course the boats kept well together. Kennedy's crew then spurred and rowing steadily, crept away from its opponents, finally winning by the substantial margin of two and a half lengths. The winning crew will hold the trophy for the ensuing year.

In the next heat Hughes was again in evidence. Opposing a crew stroked by Gordon, a most exciting race ensued. Right from the start the crew stroked by Hughes obtained a slight advantage and struggle as Gordon would, he could not pull level. Just before the end, Hughes spurred and putting in a fine finish increased his lead by a few feet, winning by half a length.

An interval ensued giving the crew of Hughes' boat time to rest, when it again ranged up in the final with a crew stroked by Belyea. The previous heats seemed to have warned up Hughes' crew who, rowing strongly, wore its opponents down and putting in some splendid work at the end, swung past the post, winners by the handsome margin of nearly two lengths.

The following were the various winning crews:

First heat—Won by Gordon, stroke; Rochfort, Brown, Taylor, bow; second, Clarke, stroke; Thompson, McCarthy, Redfern, bow.

Second heat—Won by Hughes, stroke; Willie, Aaronson, Jameson, bow; second, Sheppard, stroke; Sweeney, Russell, Sear, bow.

Third heat—Won by Belyea, stroke; McCarthy, Royle, Elworthy, bow; second, Nason, stroke; Curtin, Miles, Irving, bow.

Fourth heat, Times cup—Won by Kennedy, stroke; Baylis, Hall, Gray.

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Fifth heat, Semi-final—Won by Hughes' crew; second, Gordon's crew.  
Sixth heat—Final won by Hughes' crew; second, Belyea's crew.  
Select Officials.

An important meeting of the executive committee of the North Pacific Association of Amateur Oarsmen was held at the Seattle Athletic Club on Saturday, and matters in connection with the approaching regatta on Lake Washington were attended to.

As the last annual meeting of the association held at Nelson last June, a resolution was passed that the permanent course for the N. P. A. O. regattas be on Lake Washington at Seattle and that the regattas should be held there annually for the next five years, the dates to be July 4th and the following day, except when one of these dates should fall on a Sunday, when the regatta shall be held on the day set aside for the Independence Day celebration. The sixth year the regatta is to be held at Nelson, on Kootenay lake, and the date shall be July 1st and one other day set aside for the celebration of Dominion day.

The directors decided to follow the resolution passed at the annual meeting in as far as the course is concerned, but the date was set as July 3rd and 4th.

Regatta officers were selected as follows: Commodore, A. U. Balliet; vice commodore, R. H. Wade; ensign, P. D. Hughes; umpire, B. W. Wilbur; starter, M. M. O'Donnell. The judges, assistant starters and timekeepers will be appointed by the Seattle Rowing and Canoe Club, subject to the approval of the association.

The delegates present were: H. D. Helmecken and J. H. Lawson, of the James Bay A. A. O. Victoria; R. H. Wade and A. S. Goldsmith, of the S. A. C. P. D. Hughes and R. C. Force, of the Seattle Rowing and Canoe Club, and S. M. Lunders and R. C. Hart, of the Portland Rowing Club, and F. R. McD. Russell, of the Vancouver Rowing Club. The Nelson Boat Club was not represented by its executive men; but H. W. Kent, of Vancouver, was present as secretary of the association.

The annual regatta promises to be a great success. The Portland boys are already in hard training, but as they have several changes in their crews this season the other clubs are hopeful that the Oregonians will not make such a clean sweep as they did at Nelson last summer.

The Vancouver crews are working hard and the Nelson and James Bay oarsmen are also active. Del Des Brisay, one of the best modern scullers in the country, will have charge of the Nelson crew this summer.

The annual meeting of the association will be held at the S. A. C. on the evening of the first day of the regatta.

**Competing Crews.**

The J. B. A. A. crew which will compete on the 24th for the championship of British Columbia at the Gorge, will consist of the following rowers: E. Brown, (stroke); W. Laine; S. W. Thrall; 2; and V. Wolfenden, bow. The junior crew competing against Vancouver will be W. Kennedy, (stroke); F. Baylis; 3; C. Hall; 2; and V. Gray, bow.

**YACHTING.**

**LOCAL OFFICERS ELECTED.**  
The Victoria Yacht Club elected its officers for the coming season at the annual meeting held at the residence of B. Temple, 23 Erie Street. As the officials for 1907 have been elected since 1904 the club considered that it was time some of the other members should shoulder part of the responsibility, and accordingly the following gentlemen were elected: Commodore, J. S. Kibbie, vice-commodore, S. Lawrie; captain, F. L. Neale; secretary, A. Mulcahy; official measurer, B. B. Temple.

The club is in a very satisfactory financial condition, there being a good balance on hand, and it was decided to erect a new club house.

The international races will take place at Seattle early in June and the Victoria club will take part in the various events.

**THE GRAVELEY CUP.**

The first of the 1907 series of races for the Graveley cup was held on Saturday afternoon at Vancouver, and resulted in a win for William Douglas's Onaway. The Onaway was smartly handled and won easily.

**ATHLETICS.**

**SCHOOL SPORTS.**

A large crowd of parents and friends attended the jumping contests on Saturday at the Central school grounds, which were held in connection with the annual school sports. The running events will take place next Thursday afternoon, May 23rd, at Oak Bay grounds, starting promptly at 2 o'clock. No admission will be charged, and judging from the interest taken in Saturday's contests it is safe to say a large crowd will be present. The following is the standing of the various schools as the result of Saturday's events: Central, 14; High school, 4; South Park, 3; University school, 2. The winners of the various events were as follows:

Broad jump, open—1, McIntyre, High school; 2, Gowen, High school; 3, Winch, University school. Winning jump, 17 feet 2 1/2 inches.

Broad jump, under 16—1, Agnew, Sub-High; 2, Bowser, University school; 3, Catterall, Central. Winning jump, 15 feet 5 1/2 inches.

Broad jump, under 14—1, Clark, Central; 2, Laundry, South Park; 3, Brewster, Central. Winning jump, 13 feet 5 inches.

High jump, under 14—1, Pike, Central; 2, Brown, Sub-High; 3, Baker, Central. Winning jump, 4 feet 1/4 inch.

High jump, open—1, Gowen, High school; 2, Pearce, University school; 3, McIntyre, High school. Winning jump, 4 feet 9 1/2 inches.

High jump, under 16—1, Dickson, Central; 2, Catterall, Central; 3, Prescott, South Park. Winning jump, 4 feet 5 1/2 inches.

**SPORTS AT DUNCANS.**

The annual picnic and sports organized by No. 3 Company of the Fifth Regiment

were held yesterday at Duncans, and passed off in a most enjoyable manner. There was a full attendance, and the day's entertainment was brought to a close before the heavy rain came on. The numerous events were closely contested, and the day's outing was voted a great success. The following were the results of the various events:

100 yards—1st, Sergt. Rochfort; 2nd, Br. Wilson.  
200 yards—1st, Sergt. Rochfort; 2nd, Br. Devlin.

Relay race—1st, No. 1 Section; 2nd, No. 4 Section.  
Three-legged race—1st, Sellick and Carmichael; 2nd, Graham Bros.

Wheelbarrow—1st, Creed and Hall; 2nd, Price and Rochfort.  
Cigarette race—1st, A. Mulcahy; 2nd, Bishop.

Victoria Cross—1st, Wilson and Gibbons; 2nd, Sellick and Carter.  
Sack race—1st, Price; 2nd, Mulcahy.

Bumping—1st, Sellick and Carter; 2nd, Graham and Kent.  
Long jump—1st, Fox; 2nd, Carmichael.

High jump—1st, Phipps; 2nd, Fox.  
Bugle band—1st, Devlin; 2nd, Phipps.

Consolation race—1st, McIntosh; 2nd, Devlin.  
Tug-of-war—Won by No. 2 Section.

**ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.**

**FUNDS FOR LOCAL TEAM.**

The following communication has been received, which is self-explanatory:

To the Sporting Editor:—At the annual meeting of the B. C. Football Association held in Vancouver on the 18th inst., that body, dealing with a protest in connection with the junior championship, saw fit to take the extreme step of ordering the first game of the series to be replayed at Vancouver, on account of a technicality in connection with the registration of the North Ward junior team from this city.

There was not any protest in regard to the game, and the action of the B. C. F. A. necessitates the juniors travelling to Vancouver to play this third game, and it was thought only right that those interested in sport in this city should subscribe enough to pay the expenses of the juniors. With this end in view subscription lists have been placed in the hands of the following parties, and it is hoped that a ready and quick response will be given, as it is expected they will be required to go to Vancouver on the 24th:

H. A. Goward, tramway office; Peden Bros' bicycle store; L. Fair, principal North Ward school; Stanley Leck, captain Victoria West intermediate; F. C. Robt. Morrison, captain Y. M. C. A. intermediate; P. C. and myself.

J. G. BROWN.

**THE GUN.**

**KILLED BY LIVE WIRE.**

About a week ago one of the cock birds imported with black game and capercaillie by the Vancouver and Victoria Fish and Game Clubs was brought in by a sportsman who saw it in the window of a house. He had flushed the bird and was trying to make out its character when it rose in flight, struck a telegraph wire and fell dead. It will be stuffed and placed in the windows of the Victoria & Leck, Johnson street, which will enable local sportsmen to note the peculiarities of these game birds, which give every sign of flourishing in this province.

**NEW GAME BIRDS.**

No sportsman in the province is entitled to more credit in the way of assisting in the preservation of game and introduction of new varieties than is Dr. Brown, of Nanaimo. He has now three kinds of pheasants, the Dr. Brown, the English and the Chinese. Dr. Brown turned loose a few weeks since thirty-five pheasants, mostly cocks, as they were the ones that perished in the greatest number during the cold spell last winter. It is explained that the reason for this is that the hens will get into holes even that the cocks, owing to their plumage, will not attempt. In addition to the thirty-five turned loose along the railway and on the islands, quite a number were supplied to parties for breeding, and a number of settings of eggs given to farmers, although in the latter cases, while the birds hatched well, they did not receive the care Dr. Brown pays to his chicks, and all died.

**LACROSSE.**

**TO PLAY VANCOUVER.**

An effort is being made to arrange a match between the Victoria West lacrosse team and the Vancouver Intermediate. It is proposed to hold it on Saturday next at Oak Bay, and it is expected that New Westminster and Vancouver will be present. Yesterday the Victoria West players held an enthusiastic practice game at Oak Bay, at which sixteen players were present. The interest has been evinced in the reorganization of the club, and that the Wests will have a sturdy combination was shown at the practice yesterday. A further practice will be held to-night at Oak Bay, and it is hoped that the local team will be able to render a good account of itself against the Terminus club.

**MAPLE LEAF TEAM-WINS.**

The Vancouver lacrosse team was beaten on Saturday by the Mount Pleasant Maple Leaf team by a score of 4 to 1. This win entitles the Maple Leafs to play here on the 21st against New Westminster in the final game for the Kilmarnock cup. The Maple Leafs put up a good game and had no difficulty in defeating the Vancouver team, whose play is reported to have been very weak throughout the whole game. At the end of the first half the score was 4 to 1 in favor of the Mount Pleasant team, and in the second half they added 4 more goals. The day was wet and play was very rough.

**THE KILMARNOCK CUP.**

The final struggle for the Kilmarnock cup will take place at Oak Bay on Friday afternoon, May 24th, when the Maple Leafs of Mount Pleasant and the New Westminster team will meet. The Kilmarnock cup in reality represents the open championship of British Columbia, any team in the province being entitled to play for it. It was put up for the first time last year and was taken by Westminster. Despite the fact that Victoria is not represented in the series this year, great interest is being taken in next Friday's match, which promises to be one of the fastest and hardest games ever played in the city.

**CRICKET.**

**RAIN STOPPED MATCH.**

Rain put a close to what gave promise of being a very closely contested cricket match between the Victoria team and the New Westminster team on the latter's grounds on Saturday. After the loss of much time Victoria went to the bat and succeeded before lunch and before the side was all out in putting up 44 runs. J. C. Barnard played a fine game for 28, including three boundaries, and J. F. Meredith was not far behind with 22. T. G. Briggs made a creditable showing of 15, but lost his middle wicket to Peers. Peers bowled well throughout, taking seven wickets, two of which fell in one over. He made two maiden overs. Unfortunately, the New Westminster team had to give way to the clerk of the weather, before they



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had the opportunity of facing their opponents, which was very unfortunate as they were in fine form and fit. Victoria was represented by: A. F. R. Martin, J. W. D. York, J. F. Meredith, J. C. Barnard, Mr. Baker, W. Gregson, H. Cullen, A. Coles, I. G. Briggs, W. J. R. Smith, F. Harvey (not out).

**THE KENNEL.**

**NEW IMPORTATION.**  
The announcement that Walter Winsby is bringing out from Scotland the thoroughbred Gordon setter bitch Heather Beauty has aroused great interest in sporting circles. Heather Beauty is a notable representative of the celebrated Heather family, the purest strain of Gordon setters in the world, and is a perfect specimen of her kind.

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**HENRY PHILLIPS,**  
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### REGIMENTAL ORDERS.

Instructions Preparatory to Going Into Camp for Training.

Regimental orders, under command of Lieut.-Col. Hall, have been issued as follows:

The attention of all ranks is called to G. O. 58, April, 1907, increasing the establishment, which provides for 1 signaller sergeant and 2 gunners additional.

In accordance with G. O. 75, April, 1907, the 5th British Columbia regiment is ordered to train in camp at Esquimalt, commencing June 10th, 1907.

Men before being recommended for promotion as signaller sergeant will be required to pass the test laid down in M. O. 116, para. 8, May, 1906. O. C. companies having men desiring to take this test will hand in their names at office when necessary arrangements will be made.

The following extract from D. O. 25, May, 1907, para. 2, is published for general information: "The following officer is authorized to join the Royal School of Artillery at Esquimalt for a short course of instruction from this date (inclusive), Lieut. W. A. Irving, 5th Regt. C.A."

Lieut. Percival T. Stern, of the 4th V. B. Royal Fusiliers, London, Eng., is hereby attached to the 5th Regt. C.A. until further orders.

The following men having been granted their discharge are struck off the strength of the regiment: No. 316, Gr. A. Solomon, May 15th; No. 317, Gr. G. L. Underwood, May 15th.

The following man, having been duly attested, is taken on the strength, and will assume the regimental number opposite his name, No. 320, Gr. David C. Rife, April 21st.

That portion of R. O. 19, para. 5, referring to Gr. W. H. P. Swann's promotion, should read: "To be corporal" (not acting corporal).

Company drills will be discontinued from this date to enable all ranks to perform their annual firing practice.

The regular monthly meeting of the officers' mess will be held on Thursday, May 20th, at 8 p. m., instead of the following week. Dress, undress uniform.

The officer commanding has been pleased to approve the following promotion in the band: To be acting corporal, No. 303, Gr. Jos. Ball, May 15th.

A man is regarded as of greatest value to his country at the age of twenty-four.

### EPIDEMIC OF SUICIDES.

Chicago, May 18.—Five suicides and two attempts at self-destruction were reported to the Chicago police yesterday.

In three instances carbolic acid was used; in two cases, gas was inhaled; one man tried to drown himself and another hung himself to a bedpost in a hospital.

Ill health and despondency were the cause in each case.

### FIRE AT ST. JOHN.

St. John, May 18.—A fire which broke out in the basement of Maxwell Bros. & Co.'s retail drygoods establishment here yesterday, gave the firemen a five-hour fight and caused a loss roughly estimated at \$125,000.

### "GETTING UP" EXERCISES.

The difficulty most people experience in getting up in the morning can be easily overcome by a simple operation, according to a medical authority. After the night's long rest the brain is laden with somewhat impure blood, and the lymph vessels which remove waste matter are overfull and sluggish. This is why we all crave another ten minutes in bed, and why most people are so morose at breakfast.

Very slowly the brain gets rid of the matters which interfere with its vigorous action, but the process can be expedited.

If the finger-tips are placed against the neck just under the ear, and moved swiftly down to the front of the shoulder, along the course of the jugular vein, the used-up blood is drawn away and room left for a fresh supply. This should be done twice at each side of the neck. Then the hands should be placed on the back of the neck just under the skull and moved downwards as far as possible. This clears out the lymph vessels and effectively prevents swollen glands, from which so many people suffer.

After two brisk rubs of the lymph vessels, return to the jugular veins and then back to the glands, half-a-dozen or eight times, until the operation will be found far better than a cup of coffee; and whenever the brain is dull through congestion this massage will be equally effective.

Answers.

## SCHMITZ MAY BE PLACED IN CUSTODY

Will Endeavor to Have His Case Transferred From Judge Dunne's Court.

San Francisco, May 18.—It is now the plan of the graft prosecution to ask Judge Dunne to place Mayor Schmitz in the custody of an officer as soon as it can be done. It is highly probable that before the end of next week seventy indictments will be returned against the mayor for his participation in the bribery of the supervisors.

Abe Ruef has stated that the mayor was a party to all of the deals in which money was passed to the members of the board. Under the statute this in itself constitutes bribery. With all these indictments against him, the mayor will be unable to secure bail. He will then be placed in the custody of William J. Biggy, and a most unusual situation will result. The mayor of the city will be a captive, unable to perform his duties. If Schmitz then refuses to resign, a deadlock will occur. Should he resign, it would be incumbent upon the supervisors to elect his successor.

Never before has an American municipality been placed in the position in which San Francisco now finds itself. The mayor has signed away his power and is soon to be stripped of the particle of authority he has retained. That Schmitz will vigorously oppose the efforts of the prosecution to place him in the custody of an officer is admitted. He has begun with an endeavor to have his case transferred from Judge Dunne's court.

The mayor's attorney stated today that Schmitz would be on hand Monday, when his trial will be called. The mayor himself verified this and added that he would be acquitted, and would then make plans to run for mayor again at the November election. During the week Ruef will again take the stand before the grand jury and under oath will state that Schmitz aided in the bribery of the supervisors in each and every boodle deal.

Besides the testimony of Ruef, the supervisors have already stated under oath that the mayor urged them especially to grant the Home telephone franchise. While Schmitz was announcing that he was planning to run again for mayor George Keane was making overtures to the prosecution in behalf of the mayor. Keane met with no encouragement and has been given to understand that it is useless to ask for any special consideration for the city executive.

### WHO IS RESPONSIBLE?

Toronto Globe Comments on the Famous Wells-Jackson Case.

Toronto, May 18.—The Globe devotes considerable space to the famous Wells-Jackson case, of Orangeville. A two-column article from that town appears on the front page, and the case is carefully reviewed.

Jackson, it will be remembered, was arrested in Winnipeg and brought back to stand trial in connection with the death of his sister-in-law, Miss Wells, who died as a result of a criminal operation in June, 1906. His trial came to an abrupt termination, and he was allowed to go on suspended sentence on Tuesday of this week. He pleaded guilty, but laid the responsibility for the crime at the door of A. G. Douglas, druggist.

In commenting on this case on the editorial page, the Globe asks: "Is it possible that a woman can be murdered in an Ontario town and two men who implicated each other in the crime go about untried? Can justice administered under the officers of the crown of Ontario, in a case of the dark crime on the calendar, be marred by private or personal or political influence?"

### GAVE LIFE TO SAVE WIFE.

Retired Capitalist Killed in Automobile Accident in Chicago.

Chicago, May 18.—In a collision between his automobile and a wagon, William McClintock, a retired capitalist, was almost instantly killed. His wife and little son were with him, but they escaped with no injuries. William G. Kreig, an architect, who was sitting in the front seat of the vehicle with Mr. McClintock, was bruised.

The accident was said to have been due to the confusion of William H. Pennington, driver of the wagon, who twice pulled his horses in front of the machine and frustrated Mr. McClintock's efforts to dodge him.

According to the police report Mr. McClintock threw himself in the way of the shaft, which otherwise would have struck his wife.

### ROBBERIES ESCAPED IN AUTOS.

Pasadena, Cal., May 18.—One of the boldest robberies ever perpetrated in the state occurred this morning, when masked men broke into the postoffice and stole fifteen thousand dollars' worth of postage stamps.

The men escaped in automobiles, two of which had evidently been waiting for some time at a nearby corner. Seven men are believed to have been concerned in the robbery. No arrests have yet been made.

### BROTHERHOOD OF TRAINMEN.

P. H. Morrissey Re-Elected Head of the Order.

Atlanta, Ga., May 18.—Grand Master P. H. Morrissey, of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, was re-elected today to the head of the organization for two years, having already filled the office for 12 years. The other grand officers elected were: W. C. Lee, past grand master; T. R. Dodge, Val. Fitzpatrick, W. Newman and J. Murphy, vice-grand masters; A. P. Whitney, of Eagle Grove, Iowa, was elected fifth vice-grand master, which office was created at the present convention.

A. E. King was elected grand secretary-treasurer and D. L. Cense, of Philadelphia, N. J., was re-appointed by Grand Master Morrissey, editor of the official organ of the order.

During the afternoon the trainmen were addressed by Samuel Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor.

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### VERNON HOSPITAL.

Offer of \$5,000 for New Building if Like Amount is Raised in Vicinity.

A delegation of directors of Vernon hospital attended the last meeting of the Vernon Council, and Mr. Henderson, who acted as spokesman, informed the aldermen that it had been decided at the recent annual meeting that it was absolutely essential for the continued success and usefulness of the hospital that a new building should be constructed. In fact, this had been apparent for the last two or three years on account of the rapid growth of the town and district. The board had been informed the other day that someone, who did not care to have his name mentioned, was willing to give \$5,000 toward building a new hospital on condition that the city grant \$10,000 and \$15,000 be raised otherwise. It was in connection with this very generous offer, that the delegation waited upon the council. It was so very obvious in the interests of the city, thought Mr. Henderson, that the offer should be taken advantage of that he did not think it necessary to say much to convince the aldermen. The directors had agreed that a 44-bed hospital, say, would cost \$20,000, but owing to the advance in material doubtless \$30,000 would be nearer the mark now.

It would be unwise, continued Mr. Henderson, to refuse this additional \$5,000. Fifty thousand would build and equip a really fine and up-to-date hospital with all modern appliances. People would come to it from outside points. The board had already laid aside \$2,500 for a building fund. The assets would probably realize another \$10,000 and the city would only have to raise \$17,500. The speaker suggested that the city should raise the money on debentures, thereby spreading the expense over a period of 20 years or so. This would be preferable to taking it all out of the people at one time. Mr. Henderson concluded by expressing the wish that the Mayor and aldermen lose no time in acting.

Mayor McGowan said he could not say just then what the city would do, but he had no doubt the council would take a liberal view of the matter. There would be a special meeting, when the question would be fully considered. He was in favor of the city giving a generous grant.

Ald. Costerton thought the hospital was a matter that would appeal to everyone. If a \$5,000 one could be had for \$5,000, the opportunity should not be lost.

Ald. Timmins expressed the opinion that the citizens would be in favor of it, and that no time should be lost.

### POWER FROM ELECTRIC EELS.

Result of Recent Experiments by a Venezuelan Scientist.

Prof. de Esperando, head of the government college at Caracas, Venezuela, had a hundred average sized electric eels captured and copper wire encircled around their necks behind the ears, and then connected them with a motor, the eels remaining in the river near the shore.

Their violent flapping and contortions proved a most uncertain sort of electric current, so he procured another hundred and put them into a zinc bath which he had in his house, connected it with the motor, and found that they produced about 30 horse power. With this he ran a mill and lit up his house, and even connected them with a motor, the eels remaining in the river near the shore.

The power from each eel sufficed to produce 4-candle incandescent lights.

Prof. de Esperando also has found that a motor can be run for 24 hours with 100 eels in a tank three feet long and one and one-half feet square and weighing complete less than 200 pounds.

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### BIGAMIST'S LONG COURTSHIP.

While Living With His Wife, "Kept Company" With Woman 14 Years.

A bigamist who courted his second wife for fourteen years while he was living happily with the first and lawful wife, was sentenced at the Old Bailey, London, to fifteen months' hard labor.

The man was Arthur Kennard Copelstone, and he pleaded guilty to going through the form of marriage with Mary Elizabeth Griffith, while his first wife, who died, was still living.

Miss Griffith said that Copelstone had been courting her for fourteen years and urging her to marry him. During all this time she thought he was a single man, and she had no suspicion that he was married until his lawful wife caused his arrest.

A policeman stated that during all these fourteen years Copelstone lived at home with his wife. He had six children.

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LAND REGISTRY ACT.

In the Matter of Application for a Duplicate Certificate of Title to Lot 10, of Sub-Lots 1 and 2, Fernwood Estate (Map 273, Victoria City).

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention, at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof, to issue a Duplicate of the Certificate of Title to Lot 10, of Sub-Lots 1 and 2, Fernwood Estate (Map 273, Victoria City), and numbered 14328.

S. X. WOOLTON, Registrar-General, Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., this 20th day of March, 1907.

MUNICIPALITY OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned, up to Thursday, 23rd May, 1907, for Grading and Surfacing Streets and Laying Water Mains; details, plans and specifications can be seen at the Clerk's Office, 21 Chancery Chambers, Langley Street.

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## SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS.

Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the Northwest Provinces, excepting 3 and 36, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person the sole head of a family, or male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section, of 160 acres, more or less.

Application for homestead entry or inspection must be made in person by the applicant at the office of the local Agent or Sub-Agent.

An application for entry or inspection made personally at any Sub-Agent's office may be wired to the local Agent of the Sub-Agent, at the expense of the applicant, and if the same applied for is vacant on receipt of the telegram such application is to have priority and the land will be held until the necessary papers to complete the transaction are received by mail.

In case of "personation" the entry will be summarily cancelled and the applicant will forfeit all priority of claim.

An applicant for inspection must be an applicant for homestead entry, and only one application for inspection will be received from an individual until that application has been disposed of.

A homesteader whose entry is in good standing and not liable to cancellation, may, subject to approval of Department, relinquish it in favor of father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister, if eligible, but to no one else, on filing declaration of abandonment.

Where an entry is summarily cancelled or voluntarily abandoned, subsequent to institution of cancellation proceedings, the applicant for inspection will be entitled to prior right of entry.

Applicants for inspection must state in what particulars the homesteader is in default, and if subsequently the statement is found to be incorrect in material particulars, the applicant will lose any right of re-entry, should the land become vacant, or if entry has been granted it may be summarily cancelled.

DUTIES.—A homesteader is required to perform the conditions under one of the following plans:

(1) At least six months' residence upon cultivation of the land in each year during the term of three years.

(2) If the father or mother of the homesteader is deceased, if the homesteader resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for homestead, the homesteader may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

(3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, and the requirement may be satisfied by residence upon such land.

Besides making application for patent the settler must give six months' notice in writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa, of his intention to do so.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST MINING REGULATIONS.

COAL.—Coal lands may be purchased at \$10 per acre for soft coal and \$20 for anthracite. Not more than 200 acres can be acquired by one individual or company. Royalty at the rate of ten cents per ton of 2,000 pounds shall be collected on the gross output.

QUARTZ.—A person eighteen years of age, or over, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim 100 ft. square.

The fee for recording a claim is \$5. At least \$100 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof. When \$500 has been expended or paid, the locator may, upon having a survey made, and upon complying with the requirements, purchase the land at \$1 per acre.

The patent provided for the payment of a royalty of 10 per cent. on the sales. Placer mining claims generally are 100 ft. square; entry fee \$5, renewable yearly.

An applicant may obtain two leases to dredge for gold of five miles each for a term of twenty years, subject to the discretion of the Minister of the Interior. The lease shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles. Rental \$10 per annum for each mile of river leased. Royalty at the rate of 10 per cent. calculated on the output after it exceeds \$10,000.

W. W. CORY, Deputy of the Minister of the Interior. N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

NOTICE.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, having determined that it is desirable, after the sewerage and water mains are laid thereon, to improve Rockland avenue, between Moss street and Oak Bay avenue, by widening said street to an approximate width of 60 feet, grading same, macadamizing the road bed to a width of 26 feet, constructing a permanent sidewalk on the south side, 4 feet wide, with gutter, and constructing curb and gutter, and boulevard on the north side of the said street, and that all said work shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the "Local Improvement Act," and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of the said Act, upon the said works of local improvement, giving statement showing the amount chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property benefited thereby, and their report having been adopted by the Council, notice is hereby given that the report herein referred to is open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor







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## ADVICE ON THE LABOR QUESTION

ADDRESS GIVEN BY

SIR WILLIAM MULOCK

Entertained By Canadian Club at Vancouver--The Island Described as a Lovely Spot.

Sir William Mulock, formerly post-master general and minister of labor in the Dominion government, was entertained by the Canadian Club in Vancouver on Thursday afternoon.

In opening his address, Sir William made a very complimentary reference to the province in general and Vancouver Island in particular.

"For a short time past I have been in this province," he said, "and to see it and to travel through it is an inspiration. When I go back to the East and think of your magnificent mountain scenery, your fertile valleys and mighty rivers and magnificent sea front, I shall be filled with pleasant reminiscences, and shall be able to realize to some extent the great potentialities of this country of ours. (Applause.) For, though I have seen so little I have seen enough to convince me that you have a single great empire within this province alone. For with your mineral and timber wealth, your splendid position by the shore of the Pacific (which will entitle you to become one of the great cities of American continent) and your mild and temperate climate you may well be envied by other countries."

"But," added Sir William in a warning tone, "mineral and timber wealth, harbors and climate and geographical position, and wealth of forest and sea, these things alone will not make a great nation. Many a fallen and bankrupt nation to-day has all the natural resources. They are but the instruments placed within the grasp of man, and it remains for the ability and energy of man to obtain the full fruition of these divine gifts."

Sir William then complimented Vancouver Island, from which he had just returned, as one of the loveliest and most picturesque spots he had ever seen. His heart went out to Western Canada, and he hoped as years went by it would become one of the most attractive spots in the world, attracting capital and attracting people, and bringing both wealth and population to its shores.

Speaking on the labor question, no offered valuable advice to all interests concerned.

"It is," he continued, "a matter of all importance, not only to your province but to the whole Dominion of Canada. It is a question ever with us, not in the Dominion of Canada only—it is everywhere throughout the world. Wherever there is activity and wherever there is progress there you find it, because labor is a commercial commodity offered for sale just the same as any commodity the merchant has on his shelf. He wishes to sell it to the best advantage, and in like manner a man who has only his muscle and labor power to sell desires to sell it to the best advantage. If the present position of this country was one of stagnation there would be no strikes. If labor were worth 50 cents a day instead of \$2 there would be no strikes. The fact that a country is prosperous is what gives force to the labor question and if I were a manufacturer or a trader I would feel that my best interests were advanced by workingmen receiving high wages (Hear, hear)."

"The question of how to deal with strikes is one that has taxed the ingenuity of many minds, and no one can say that the panacea has yet been discovered. It is right for us to discuss the best ways of dealing with the question, for in the multitude of coming years there is wisdom, and perhaps by studying the question in all its bearings we are likely to reach a just conclusion. We find there are two schools of opinion on this subject; the one school says it ought to be criminal for a man to strike, and there should be fines and penalties for those who do so. The 'school' of New Zealand attempted that method of dealing with these troubles, and passed a Compulsory Arbitration Act to force employers and employed to arbitrate any difficulties that arose between them, and to abide by the decision. This was on the statute books for many years, and is said to have done a great deal of

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good, but it was never fully tested till the present day. When, in 1890 I introduced the Conciliation Act in the Dominion parliament, I discussed the principle of the New Zealand Act and expressed the view that it was unsound and was against the right of a free man in any country where British laws prevail. (Applause.) I have never seen any reason to depart from that view and I do not to-day. A short time ago Australia copied the New Zealand Act, and I conversed with many men in Australia about it, and though the majority were in favor of compulsory arbitration, since then, there has been a change of sentiment both in Australia and New Zealand, and the penal feature making it criminal to strike is falling into disrepute.

"Is there any measure by which a free man can be made to work against his will? I know of none. Does it not strike one that it cripples a man's freedom to compel him to work when he does not want to. He must not, of course, be allowed to become a nuisance; but is there any conceivable legislation that can be placed on the statute books an imperative measure? I have heard of none. And if so why should we place upon the statute books an inoperative measure. Coercion only engenders resistance, and therefore that mode of treatment must be eliminated—'impracticable' and set aside as incapable of bearing good results."

"There is, only in my opinion, one mode of dealing with labor questions and that is by appealing to the higher instincts of employer and employed alike, by bringing them together, by reasoning with them and getting them to regard each other as brothers in the great organization of society, to the end that there may be mutual concession and compromise and harmony may prevail. (Applause.)"

The speaker then dealt with his own experience in these matters as a member of the Dominion government. They had occasion to deal with many strikes, some of great importance. Personally he had to deal with a very serious one—that that appeared to be incapable of solution—but he found no difficulty in dealing with it when he appealed to men's reason and sense of right and submitted to them what appeared reasonable terms. In 1902, with the consent of his colleagues, he introduced a measure dealing with strikes on railways, because it seemed to him that in railways, where not only employers and employed, but also the general public were concerned, legislation to some extent was proper. He introduced the measure not expecting to have it read a second time then, but for the purpose of arousing discussion on the question. During the recess that followed he met and discussed the measure both with railway employers and employees. He found the railway employees a very intelligent class of men, but they were opposed to the bill as first introduced because they thought the measure would be a one-sided one binding on the employees, but not on the railway companies. He pointed

out to them that if railways were not running and trade was tied up because these troubles had been arbitrated and the employers had refused to accept the award, the public that was inconvenienced would soon ask why they had not abided by the result of the arbitration. He told them to dispossess themselves of the idea that railway companies would not be amenable, because they would be bound by the force of public opinion. The men said if the employers would be bound by public opinion they would be satisfied, as there was nothing they wanted less than a strike. The provision was that when a strike should interfere and determine what was a fair settlement between the parties. That measure was placed on the statute books with the entire consent of the laboring men of Canada, because they felt a desire only to secure a fair settlement of these troubles.

"I cite this," said Sir William, "to show that the spirit to be brought to bear on this question is not one of coercion, but one of conciliation and justice between man and man. While it is the privilege of every employer to dismiss, and of every employee to refuse to work, there is still a duty which each one owes to the state. While British institutions guarantee freedom of action to every citizen, there is a corresponding duty on the part of every citizen to so conduct his actions in relation to his fellowmen that they shall not result to the public injury, and in relations between employer and employee an effort should be made to educate public opinion in that direction so that then so the questions may be determined, not by coercion, not by force, not by strikes or lock-outs, but by that common justice that appeals to the conscience of every man. I have every confidence in appealing to that consciousness, for I know that there is in every man a sense of right which is as easily awakened in the breast of the poorest in the land as in that of his wealthiest brother."

"We have to approach this question in a quiet spirit, not with beating of hands and tearing of hair and violence, but with that patience that overcomes many difficulties. For while on many occasions there may be disappointment it is the only effective method that will bring the different parties together, and win for each the respect and affection of the other side. When this is tried there is not the stand-off feeling, the desire to get the best of it, we have so often seen; but there is brought to bear upon these contests in the market where labor is bought and sold this spirit of reasonableness and conciliation, which is, in my opinion, the only true method of solving those questions which will ever be present in a land of prosperity."

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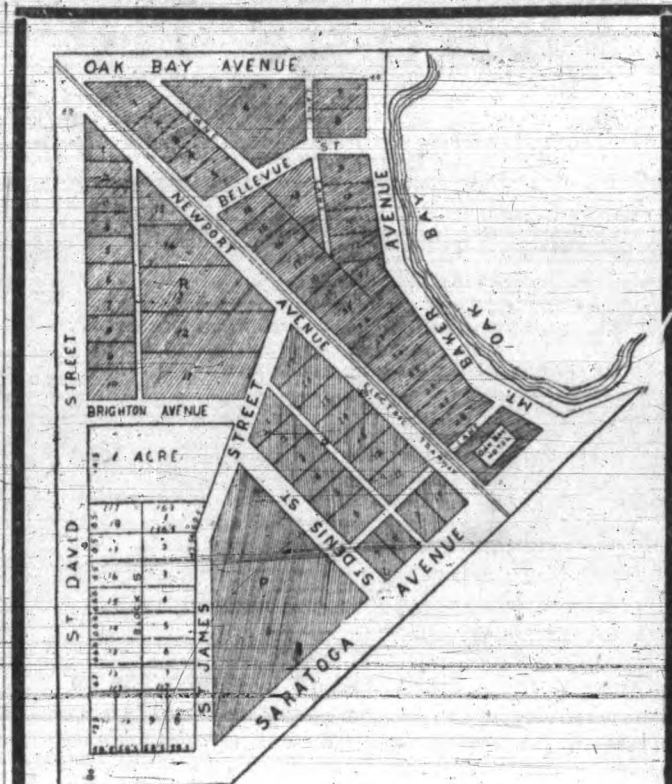
The fat of your body is fluid. It becomes solid only when the body cools after death. It is one of your most useful constituents, forming a non-conducting sheath to protect you from cold, acting as pads, to preserve from shock, on the tips of the fingers, the toes, and the heels, and lying always ready as a reserve food supply when you can get nothing to eat.

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### The Silent Places



By Stewart Edward White

#### CHAPTER X.

Dick pulled the girl roughly to the fire-side, where he dropped her arm, leaving her downcast and submissive. He was angry all through with the powerless rage of the man whose attention a woman has taken more seriously than he had intended. Suddenly he was involved more deeply than he had meant.

"Well, what do you think of that?" he cried.

"What you doing here?" asked Sam in Ojibway, although he knew, what the answer would be.

"He'll burst out Dick."

"Well, keep your hair on," advised Sam Bolton, with a grin. "You shouldn't be so attractive, Dicky."

The latter growled.

"Now you've got her, what you going to do with her?" pursued the older man.

"Do with her?" exploded Dick. "What in hell do you mean? I don't want her; she's none of my business. She's got to go back, of course."

"Oh, sure!" agreed Sam. "She's got to go back. Sure thing! It's only two days down stream, and then the Creeks would have only four days' start and getting father every minute. A mere ten days in the woods without an outfit. Too easy; especially for a woman. But of course you'll give her your outfit, Dicky."

He mused, gazing into the flames, his eyes drooping over his new complication introduced by his thoughtless comrade.

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"Nice mess, isn't it, Dicky?" grinned the other.

"No mess about it. I haven't anything to do with such a fool trick. What did she expect to gain, tagging us through the woods that way half a mile to the rear? She was just waiting till we got so far away from the camp that we couldn't send her back. I'll fool her on that, damn her!" He kicked a log back into place, sending the sparks eddying.

"I wonder if she's had anything to eat lately?" said Bolton.

"I don't care a damn whether she has or not," said Dick.

"Keep your hair on, my son," advised Sam again. "You're hot because you thought you'd got shut of the whole affair, and now you find you haven't."

"You make me sick," commented Dick.

"Mebbe," admitted the woodsman. He felt silent, staring straight before him, emitting short puffs from his pipe. The girl stood where she had been thrust.

"I'll start her back in the morning," professed Dick after a few moments. Then, as this elicited no remark, "We can stock her up with jerky, and there's no reason she shouldn't make it," Sam remained grimly silent. "Is there?" insisted Dick. He waited a minute for a reply. Then, as none came, "Hell!" he exclaimed, disgustedly, and turned away to sit on a log the other side of the fire with all the petulance of a child.

"Now look here, Sam," he broke out, after an interval. "We might as well keep her with us now, can we?"

Sam removed his pipe, blew a cloud straight before him, and replaced it. Dick reddened slowly, got up with an incidental remark about damn fools, and began to spread his blankets beneath the lean-to shelter. He muttered to himself, angrier at the dead opposition of circumstance which he could not push aside. Suddenly he seized the girl again by the arm.

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Dick was afoot after a few hours' sleep. He aroused Sam and went about the preparation of breakfast. May-may-gwan attempted to help, but both she and her efforts were disregarded. She brought wood, but Dick rustled a supply just the same, paying no attention to the girl's little pipe; she put on fresh fuel, but Dick, without impatience—indeed, as though he were merely rearranging the fire—contrived to undo her work; she brought to hand the utensils, but Dick, in searching for them, always looked where they had originally been placed. His object seemed not so much to thwart the girl as to ignore her. When breakfast was ready he divided it into two portions, one of which he ate. After the meal he washed the few dishes. Once he

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took a cup from the girl's hand as she was drying it, much as he would have taken it from the top of a stump. He then proceeded to clean it as though it had just been used.

May-may-gwan made no sign that she noticed these things. After a little she helped Sam roll the blankets, strike the shelter, construct the packs. Here her assistance was accepted, though Sam did not address her. After a few moments the start was made.

The first few hours were spent as before, wading the stream. As she could do nothing in the water, May-may-gwan kept to the woods, walking steadily onward, her face to the front, expressionless, hiding whatever pain she may have felt. This side of noon, however, the travellers came to a castrated falling over a fifty-foot ledge into a long, cliff-bordered pool.

It became necessary to portage. The hill pitched down steep and close. There existed no trails. Dick took the little camp axe to find a way. He clambered up one after the other three ravines—grown with brush and heavy ferns, damp with a trickle of water—by a blank wall impossible to scale. At length he found a passage he thought might be practicable. Thereupon he cut a canoe trail back to the water side.

In clearing this trail his attention turned to making room for a canoe on a man's back. Therefore the footing he bothered with not at all. Saplings he clipped down by banding them with the left hand, and striking at the strained fibres where they bowed. A single blow would thus fell treelets of some size. When he had finished his work, he resulted a winding, cylindrical hole in the forest growth some three feet from the ground. Through this cylinder the canoe would be passed, while its bearer picked a practised way among slippery rocks, old stumps, new sapling stumps and undergrowth. Men who might, in later years, wish to follow the forest growth some length he found a passage he thought might be practicable. Thereupon he cut a canoe trail back to the water side.

Late that afternoon the travel for a half mile became exceedingly difficult. The stream took on the character of a mountain brook. It hardly paid to float the canoe in the tiny holes among the rocks, miniature cascades and tortuous passages. The forest grew to the very banks, and arched over to exclude the sun. Every few feet was to be avoided a tree, half clinging to the bank, leaning at a perilous angle over the creek. Fortunately the spring freshets in this country of the great snows were powerful enough to sweep out the timber actually fallen, so the course of the stream itself was clear of jams. At length the travellers reached a beaver dam, and so to a little round lake among the hills. They had come to the head waters of the Mattawishguish.

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ambulator and Bath, Carpet Sweeper,  
Enamel and Kitchenware, Blankets,  
Sheets, Pillows, Counterpanes, Fire  
Guards, Books, Brio-a-Brac, etc., etc.  
Goods on view Monday afternoon.  
The Auctioneers, L. EATON & CO.

## Messrs. L. Eaton & Co.

Duly instructed will sell by public  
auction (to close up an estate for the  
benefit of the creditors), at

THE ROOMS,

On Wednesday, May 22nd

at 2 p.m.

the contents of a country estate, in-  
cluding large assortment of Groceries,  
Canned Goods, Enamel and Tinware,  
Crochery, Tea, Spices, Fishing Tackle,  
Brooms, School Books, Ink, Soap,  
Boots and Shoes, Axes, Scythes,  
Thread, Needles, Hats, Caps, Clothing,  
Etc., Etc. Full particulars on Tues-  
day. Also at the same time, 250 pots  
of Carnations, Fushias, Hanging  
Baskets, Choice Flowering and Bed-  
ding out Plants, Pelargonians, Ivy,  
Geraniums, Etc., Etc.

The Auctioneers, L. Eaton &amp; Co.

Duly instructed by the administrator of  
the estate of E. Field, deceased, will sell  
by public auction on**TOMORROW, MAY 21, at 2 P.M.**At the corner of Belcher avenue and Cad-  
boro Bay road, the whole of his**Household Furniture & Effects.**Comprising: Very Handsome Oak Oak  
Sideboard, English Oak Extension Table,  
English Oak Dining Room Chairs Up-  
holstered in Leather, Very Good Oak  
Desk and Bookcase, Lounge, Overmantel,  
Handsome Oak Bedroom Suite, with Plate  
Glass Mirror, Carpets, Rugs, Bookcase,  
Good Range, Heater, Kitchen Utensils,  
Lawn Roller, Mower, Garden Tools, Sun-  
dry China, Lamps, Curtains, Blinds, Tables,  
Cupboard, Chest of Drawers, Eight-Day  
Marble Clock, Very Good Water Color  
Paintings, Oak Hat Rack, Lamps, Vases,  
Household Linen, Blankets, Pillows, and  
other goods too numerous to mention.  
The Auctioneer, STEWART WILLIAMS.If you want to BUY or SELL Good  
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, call or  
Phone A1340.

A. J. WINSTONE,

55 Blanchard Street, near Yates.

SHROUDED IN MYSTERY.

Washington, May 18.—Alexander Gar-  
land, the attaché of the Peruvian lega-  
tion, who, it is charged, was stabbed early  
Thursday morning by Charles A. Ed-  
wards, secretary of the Democratic con-  
gressional committee, has taken a turn  
for the worse. His physician refuses to  
give any specific information as to his  
patient, but it was stated to an Associat-  
ed Press correspondent that while his  
condition was serious, he did not think he  
would die tonight.

## JUST ARRIVED

A very fine Assortment of Hand Bags and Purses  
in the latest colors and shapes.

## J. WENGER, Jeweler

77 GOVERNMENT ST.

Ex "Cyclops"

Hubbuck's Genuine White Lead  
Hubbuck's Pure Boiled and Raw Linseed  
Oil

FOR SALE BY

P. McQuade & Son, 78 Wharf St.

## Messrs. Williams & Janion

Duly instructed by J. W. Stratford, Esq.,  
will sell by public auction at his residence  
on the

CADDORO BAY ROAD,

Opposite Foul Bay Road, on

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 22nd**

At 2.30 p.m., the whole of his

**Household Furniture and Effects**Comprising: Dominion Piano (new), 12-  
Bore, Shogun, Rosewood Parlor Set (Up-  
holstered), Two Morris Chairs, Two  
Wicker Rockers, Three Bentwood Chairs,  
Rosewood Occasional Table, Rosewood  
China Cabinet, Axminster Carpet, Rugs,  
Pictures, Ornaments, Hall Rack, Oak  
Extension Table, Heater, Rockers, Lounge,  
Two Occasional Tables, Arm Chair  
Chairs, Lamps, Marble Clock, Handsome  
Oak Mission Writing Table, Double and  
Single Iron Bedstead, Top and Spring  
Mattresses, Pillows, Quilts, Blankets, Oak  
Bureau and Washstand, Bureau and  
Washstands, Three Toilet Sets, Matting,  
Jewelry, Range (new), Cooking Utensils,  
Kitchen Tables and Chairs, Ladder, Tin-  
ware, Dinner and Tea Sets, Preserves,  
Jam Jars, Trays, Pails, Meat Safe, Wash-  
ing Tubs, Boiler, Baskets, Tools of All  
Sorts, about Three Cords of Firewood,  
Potatoes, Buckwheat, Prunes, Sprinkler  
(new), Hose (55 feet), Mower, a Large  
Quantity of First-Class Inside Linoleum,  
Scythes, Scythes, Hose, Clipper, Wheel-  
barrow, Pair of Ducks, about Thirty Head  
of Chickens, and other goods too num-  
erous to mention.  
On view the morning of sale.  
Take the Willows car and get off at  
Foul Bay road.  
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## THE ORCHARD INTERVIEW.

Court Declares Story is Not Contempt  
and Matter is Dropped.Boice, May 18.—Prosecuting Attorney  
Boice, who has completed his investigation  
of the circumstances under which  
Harry Orchard, principal witness for  
the state in the Stenberg murder  
case, was interviewed and to-day pro-  
ceeded to the district court a report  
exonerating from the charge of im-  
proper motives all persons connected  
with the incident. He found that the  
only motive that the newspaper men  
had in interviewing Orchard was to  
obtain news of him. In announcing the  
report Judge Wood said that it called  
for no action and directed that it be  
filed.

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## A CASE IN POINT.

De Quiz—I wonder what is meant by  
the statement that 'nature equalizes  
things'.De Witte—Well, if nature endows a  
woman with small feet it gives her a  
big head.

## IT SURE IS.

Hoax—What do you think of this  
new coffin trust?

Joak—Very grave matter.



## BEFORE AND AFTER.

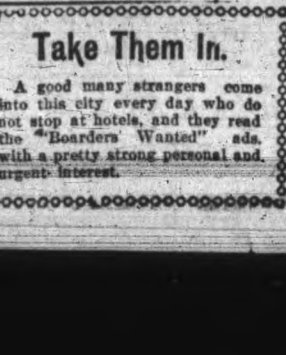
Jones—A woman generally lowers  
her voice to ask a favor.Black—Yes, but I notice she raises  
her voice if she doesn't get it.

## HA! HA!

Jinks—All men are born equal.

Blinks—Yes, and some of them never  
get over it.

## RIGHT!

The Young Man—What makes some  
of us so poor?The Old Man—Using up our time  
thinking what we'd do if we only had  
money.

## Laundry Helps